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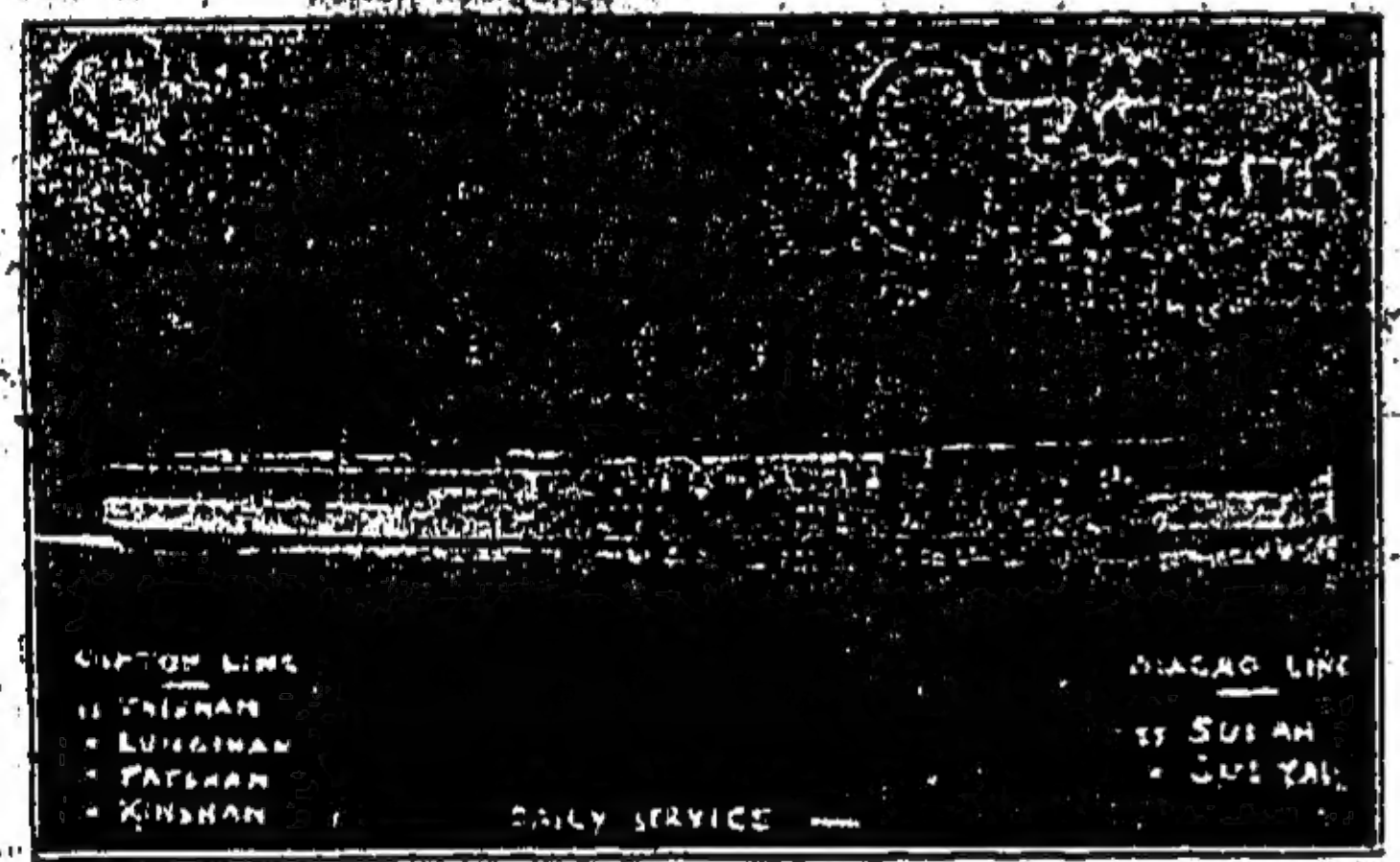
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## ROYAL NAVY

### First Minesweeping Flotilla

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London, Aug. 5.

Captain V. A. C. Crutchley, V.C., D.S.O., recently attending the Army Senior Officers' School, Sheerness, is to take command to-day of H.M.S. Halcyon, as Senior Officer in the First Minesweeping Flotilla, Portland. Capt. H. G. D. Acland, D.S.O., whom he succeeds, goes to H.M.S. Harebell as Captain of the Fishery Protection and Minesweeping Flotilla.

Captain Crutchley's last command was of the cruiser Diomedes in New Zealand, before which he was Training Commander at Devonport. For the greater part of the War he was a lieutenant of the battleship Centurion in the Grand Fleet. Volunteering for the St. George's Day raid of 1918, he served in H.M.S. Brilliant at Ostend, where he gained the D.S.O. Volunteering again for the second raid on May 10, 1918, he was first lieutenant of the Vindictive, and after the captain had been killed and the second in command severely wounded he took command and placed the ship between the piers of Ostend harbour. The crew escaped in a motor-launch, and when the C.O. of the launch sank exhausted from wounds (the second in command had already been killed) Lieutenant Crutchley took charge of the boat, then very much damaged, and managed to keep her afloat until rescued by the destroyer Warwick. He received the V.C. for his great gallantry and indomitable energy.

#### H.M.S. VALLANT

The battleship Vallant, Captain Ralph Leatham, will leave Sheerness to-day for the Mediterranean. Hitherto the Vallant has been in the Home Fleet. The ships of the Queen Elizabeth class to which she belongs are being concentrated in the Mediterranean, and those of the Royal Sovereign class in the Home Fleet. The Vallant has exchanged crews with the Ramilles.

#### APPOINTMENTS

The following appointments were made by the Admiralty yesterday: Engr. Cdr.—E. P. Parlick, to Campbell (on reducing); Surgn. Cdr.—W. J. Colborne, to Rodney (Aug. 26); T. N. D'Arcy, to President, for course (Aug. 28); T. Madill, M.B., to Orion; and C. N. Ratcliffe, to Pembroke, for R.N. Hospital, Chatham (Sept. 2).

Lt.-Cdr.—J. H. Dathan, to St. Vincent (Sept. 6).

Lt.-Cdr. (R)—A. D. Merriman, to Broke (undated).

Surgn. Lt.-Cdr.—H. G. Wells, M.B., to Drake, for R.N.B. (Aug. 8), and A. C. Paterson, to Pembroke, for R.N.B. (Aug. 10).

Lt. (R/Lt. R.A.F.)—K. Williamson, to Griffin (Aug. 23).

Lts. (R)—P. L. Nicol, to Ramilles (Aug. 14); and T. G. B. Wines, to Victory (Aug. 20).

Temp. Instr. Lts.—A. G. Thoday, to Hood (Aug. 29); G. B. C. Britton, to Dryad, for course (Sept. 2); and H. E. Dykes, to President, for course at R.N. College, Greenwich (Sept. 18).

Surgn. Lt.—W. M. Greer, M.D., to Galatea (Aug. 13).

Payr. Lt. (Retd.)—L. I. Birch, removed from Retired List (non-report).

Payr. Sub-Lt. (Retd.)—R. E. Brett, removed from Retired List (non-report).

The Admiralty notified the following appointments yesterday: Lt.-Cdr.—J. H. G. O'Phant, to Curacao, Aug. 6; A. A. Havers, to Pembroke, for R.N.B. Aug. 15; E. G. McGregor, to Nelson Aug. 20; H. W. V. Stephenson, to Centurion; and G. E. G. Wood, to Eagle Aug. 28; A. S. D. Ryder, to Titania; and J. W. Heath, to Osprey, Aug. 30; P. H. E. Welby-Everard, to Fury, Sept. 2; J. E. Allison, U.R.R. James, and J. Fair, to Queen Elizabeth, on re-coming; and J. H. E. Stephenson, to Queen Elizabeth, on re-coming, was promoted to captain three years later at the age of 42.

## CONFERENCE OF BISHOPS

### Held At Sulda

Berlin, Aug. 21.

Attended by twenty-eight Cardinals, Archbishops and Bishops, the annual conference of Catholic Bishops held its meeting privately at Sulda, in Bavaria, under the presidency of Cardinal Bejtram of Breslau, to consider problems affecting the Catholic Church in Germany, including the Reich Law of June 20, 1933, introducing sterilisation for hereditary afflictions.

The Law was passed before the signing of the Concordat with the Vatican, and conflicts with the Catholic Faith.

The conference hopes that a compromise may eventually be reached on this matter.

Other subjects being discussed are the future of the Catholic Youth Organisation, recently forbidden by the Government; currency smuggling by Catholic priests; and resistance to the civil authorities by priests.

Thousands of Catholics from all parts of Germany have arrived to witness the gathering of the Bishops and to pray at the grave of St. Boniface for succour of the church.—*Reuter.*

Instr. Lt.-Cdr.—W. J. Baxter, to Barham, on re-coming; and A. W. Turvey, to Royal Sovereign, on re-coming, Aug. 30; J. C. N. Taylor, to Frohisher, Sept. 11; R. G. Howard, to Drake, for R.N.E. College, Sept. 18; F. C. Sobey, to President, for R.N. College, Greenwich, Sept. 22.

Lts.—J. A. W. Tothill, R.P. Lonsdale; J. W. H. Bennett, and K. C. Grievie, to Queen Elizabeth, on re-coming; D. C. Kinloch, to Nelson, Aug. 20; C. B. Brooks, to Carlisle, Aug. 9; and J. R. Roberts-West, to Pembroke, Aug. 12.

#### CHANGES IN COMMAND

Lieutenant-Commander G. T. Lambert, hitherto second-in-command of the Active, 3rd Destroyer Flotilla, Mediterranean, has been appointed in command of the Searcher, attendant destroyer to the aircraft carrier on that station. The Searcher is to recommission at Portsmouth on August 12. This is Lieutenant-Commander Lambert's first command. He went to sea in September, 1922, as midshipman of the Centurion in the Mediterranean.

Lieutenant-Commander Roger Frederick is to assume command to-day of the Hussar, in the 1st Minesweeping Flotilla, Portland, in succession to Lieutenant-Commander W. H. Thurbly, R.A.N. He last served in command of the river gunboat Tern in China in 1932-34. Lieutenant-Commander Frederick passed out from Dartmouth as a midshipman with seniority of May 1, 1917, and was in H.M.S. Glorious, Grand Fleet, during the last 18 months of hostilities.

#### FISHERY PATROL COMMAND

Captain H. G. Dyke Acland, D.S.O., assumed command yesterday of H.M.S. Harebell as Captain of the Fishery Protection and Minesweeping Flotilla, Portland. To-day the Harebell is due to arrive at Devonport for summer leave. The flotilla has hitherto been commanded by Captain J. S. G. Fraser, D.S.O. In addition to the Harebell, it includes the Godetia and Rosemary, fishery protection cruisers (sloops), seven fishery protection gunboats working in the North Sea and elsewhere, and three others (Garry, Liffey, and Dee) commissioned for the training of men of the R.N.R. in minesweeping trawlers.

Captain Dyke Acland was a gunnery lieutenant during the War in the battleships Illustrious and Commonwealth, the cruiser Sydney, and destroyer HMS Edgar. With the outbreak of the war he was promoted to the rank of captain three years later at the age of 42.

## DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

Auctions.—Household Furniture Lammer's Kowloon Sales Room, 2.30 p.m.

Cinemas  
King's:—"Transient Lady."  
Queen's:—"One New York Night."  
Central:—"Chinese Picture."  
Oriental:—"The Mayor Of Hell."  
Alhambra:—"The Black Sheep."  
Majestic:—"The Red Morning."  
Star:—"All Quiet On The Western Front."

Lectures.—Christian Fellowship, Helena May, 10.30 a.m.

Miscellaneous.—Whist Drive and Tombola, R.A. W.O.'s and Sgts. Mess, 8.30 p.m.; All Ranks Open Air Tombola, Wellington Barracks, 7.30 p.m.

Sports  
Swimming.—D/S Coy. (Linhols), Finals, 2.30 p.m.

Tennis.—Tennis Exhibition C.R.C., Causeway Bay, 5 p.m.

Moon.—VII Moon, 25th Day.  
Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.49 p.m.

Tides.—High at 3.55; Low at 12.24.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Bartholomew, Stopping of Heat (Ch'u-shu).

Bathing.—Y.M.C.A. Police Pier, 3 p.m.; Methodist Church, Police Pier, 2.30 p.m.; Gloucester Road Pier, 2.45 p.m.; Kowloon Tong Anglican Church, Police Pier, 3.15 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church, Police Pier, 3.30 p.m.

Cinemas  
King's:—"Transient Lady."  
Queen's:—"One New York Night."  
Central:—"Chinese Picture."  
Oriental:—"The Mayor Of Hell."  
Alhambra:—"The Black Sheep."  
Majestic:—"The Red Morning."  
Star:—"Viennese Nights."

Social.—Tombola on board H.M.S. Tamar, 7.15 p.m.; Craigengower Cricket Club Whist Drive, 9 p.m.

Sports  
Baseball.—Canadians v. Chinese (La Salle College), 3.30 p.m.

Bowls.—First Division, Police R.C. v. Civil Service C.C.; Kowloon B.G.C. v. Craigengower C.C. "A"; Kowloon Docks v. Indian R.C.; Craigengower "B" v. Kowloon C.C. Second Division Civil Service C.C. v. Police R.C.; Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Hong Kong Electric v. Taikeo R.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Yacht Club; Club de Recreio v. Hong Kong F.C.

Moon.—VII Moon, 26th Day.  
Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.49 p.m.

Tides.—High at 5.10 and 21.25; Low at 13.20 and 22.45.

SUNDAY, AUGUST 25

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Tenth Sunday after Trinity, Feast of St. Lou's, King of France.

Cinemas  
King's:—"The Countess Of Monte Cristo."  
Queen's:—"Paris In Spring."  
Central:—"Chinese Picture."  
Oriental:—"Dames."  
Alhambra:—"Gentlemen Are Born."  
Majestic:—"Naughty Marietta."

Sports  
Baseball.—American v. Japanese, Caroline Hill, 9.30.

Moon.—VII Moon, 27th Day.  
Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.48 p.m.

Tides.—High at 6.20 and 21.23; Low at 13.49.

#### WALDON FOUND GUILTY

Hankow, Aug. 21.

Joseph Waldon and six Chinese accomplices, including a woman, have been found guilty on a charge of espionage by the Hupeh High Court.

Their sentences will be announced next week.—*Reuter.*

#### NEW SECRETARY GENERAL

Moscow, Aug. 21.

The Russian Communist Central Committee, who were charged with the task of liquidating the Communist Party in China, have elected a new Secretary General of the Executive Committee of the Communist International.

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## GORDON'S SHOES

Gordon's shoes have long since become a household word in the Colony but the latest lot they have received are perhaps the smartest I have seen, and they are the last word in style.

## EYES SALE

A sale is always an attractive proposition but when such goods as are being offered by Eve in her closing sale, are to be had for almost next to nothing, then indeed the attraction is doubly great. There is so much on display that I shall not attempt more than recommending a visit to this popular store.

## BEAUTIFUL SUITS

While on the subject of sales I must also tell you that Maizee will be having her sale on Monday and here again bargains galore may be had. All the season's stock are to be cleared and included in the bargains are many beautiful suits.

## MAYO'S HATS

Everybody knows what beautiful hats this store turns out. They have just received some of the latest felts so an early call on Mayo is recommended.

## RIVELLE

With the cooler weather coming along our thoughts not unnaturally turn to dancing, and in this connection it may be mentioned that Rivelle's have some very alluring evening gowns for the autumn and also some nice silk suits.



## HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

An easy way to sugar doughnuts is to shake them with the powdered sugar in a heavy paper bag, suggests May Robson.

To remove tarnish from silver, place the silver in potato water for one hour, and then wash it thoroughly says Irene Dunne.

Kay Johnson suggests that dried beef or bacon be parboiled a moment in boiling water before it is cooked. This removes excess salt and improves the flavor.

Cut twigs from shrubs which flower in the early Spring when they have just budded. Bring these twigs into the house, place them in tepid water, and they will bloom days ahead of schedule, bringing you your own early spring. This charming suggestion is made by Ann Harding.

Scissors dipped in cold water will cut marshmallows without sticking, says Anne Shirley.

Katharine Hepburn knows an easy way to pit cherries. Bend a piece of wire into the shape of a hairpin, and use the loop to pull the pits through the stem end of the fruit. This leaves the cherry whole. If you force the open ends of the wire into a large cork, they cannot cut your hand and the instrument will be easier to handle.

BRIDAL GOWN SENT  
BY SEA

The newest type of packing case used for long journeys by sea has been made and lined with zinc for its precious cargo—a wedding dress destined to be worn in Shanghai.

Miss Joan Poole, daughter of Sir Reginald Poole, has chosen a dress in one of the new autumn bridal colours—pale lavender blue. It is on classical lines, with a train 18 inches on the ground, and a yoke of shiffon which the marriage design of the doquel tissue is cut out and appliqued. It will be worn with a three-quarter coat.

## IN SHANGHAI CATHEDRAL

The coat is of the same material. The raised flower is outlined with silver thread, and the coat has wide cuffs of rich Russian sable on the sleeves. It is in order to preserve the silver in the material that the special vacuum case has been made.

Rear-Adm. Chilton, in command of the Naval Forces on the Yangtze, is to give the bride away on Oct. 26, when Miss Poole marries Capt. Charles Lacom, R.N., son of the late Sir Charles Lacom, Bart., and of Lady Lacom, of Brandeston, Suffolk.

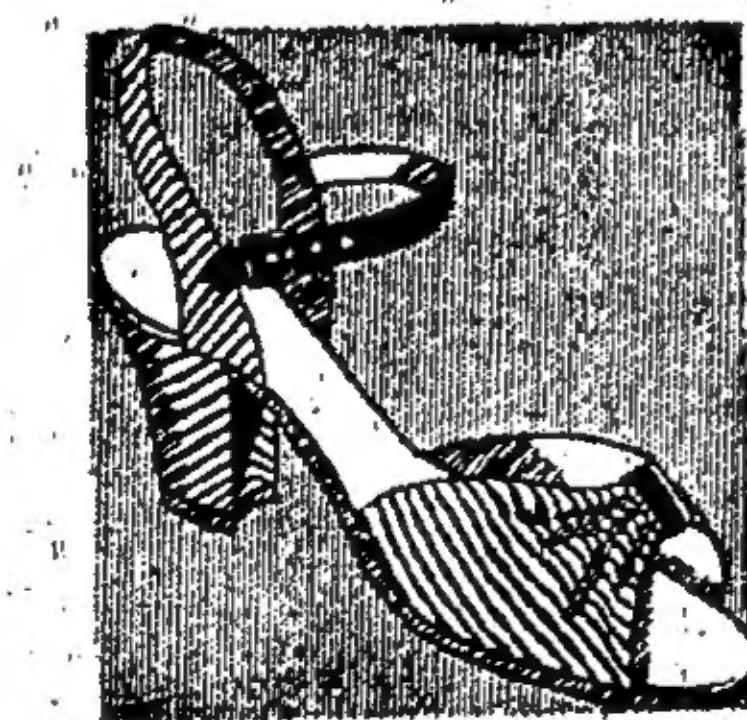
The bridegroom is Flag-Capt. to Adm. Chilton, and the wedding ceremony will take place in Shanghai Cathedral.

PIN CHECK SILK JACKET  
FROCK

The Chinese influence is reflected in a jacket frock of black and white pin check silk worn by Dorothy Libaire in the RKO Radio Picture, "Murder on a Honey-moon." The box coat has a Coolie collar and is fastened high at the throat with three black link buttons. The shoulder treatment of the short-sleeved dress is very interesting, being slashed and held together with links similar to those used on the jacket. A wide patent leather belt circles the waist.

## CHARMING FORMAL GOWN

A charming formal gown for the sub-deb was recently worn by Anne Shirley, currently appearing in RKO Radio Pictures' "Chasing Yesterday." Of soft, romantic, antique blue sheer crepe, it has graceful, flowing lines and a high neckline, both front and back. Two flat tailored bows on the bodice fasten with rhinestone buckles and several rows of corded shirring shape the waistline. The shirring is repeated in a little muff made of the same fabric as the frock.



Ginger Rogers has purchased the latest thing in leather sports gloves with contrasting cuff. This cuff is set on diagonally from the base of the little finger to the inside of the wrist.

A novel feature of a new calf-handbag, carried by Irene Dunne, is a strap handle so wide it carries her initials.

One of the most amusing of the season's accessories is a belt buckle worn by Anne Shirley as the only trimming on a plain black frock. This clasp is white bakelite and consists of two ridiculous rabbits, with large, floppy ears, the buckle fastens by clasping the bunny's forepaws together.

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## GIRLS TO WEAR WINTER 'STRAWS'

Red shoes, straw hats for the winter, and dooskin scarves are the British Colour Council's dicta for women.

This body of dictators, whose word is law, comprises manufacturers in every branch of fashion's trade—from furriers, leather manufacturers, milliners, cloth merchants, to makers of handbags, scarves and stockings.

So the council's showrooms in Sackville-street, W.1, were crowded when their decisions were revealed yesterday.

Autumn's colours are four

## 1.—AUTUMN HARMONY

This group is designed by the Council for town wear only. A two-tone scheme (it is based on wine colours, a red shade called "Wine-rose," and a bluish egg-plant colour named "Berry Bloom." The latter is a Michaelmas daisy colour of a mauve-blue. The mauve, however, has no harsh purple tint in it, and is designed to suit all complexions.

Stockings are dyed a new colour called "Allegro," a pinky lilac tone.

Shoes have a novel departure from convention, in red leathers called "Burgundy." Bags are dyed to match shoes this autumn.

Hats.—The British Colour Council announced a revolutionary mode, for hoods are dyed in raspberry colours and made specially for winter use in waterproof straw.

This means that for the first time milliners will produce winter hats of straw, an unprecedented departure from the conventional felts and velours. Evening Gowns.—The new shade is "Pink Ash," a candy pink. Millions of fabric flowers, handbags, etc., have already been dyed.

Miriam Hopkins suggests that for children dried fruits be substituted for candy. She adds that most children like the fruit as well, and it is much more healthful.

If flowers are put in a large quantity of water for half an hour or more before arranging them in vases, they will keep fresh longer. This is the suggestion of Ginger Rogers.

## DAILY PRINTED MATERIAL

One of the gayest of the new Spring prints—maize coloured poppies with deep red centres on a leaf-green background—fashions a delightful street frock for Spring wear chosen by Kay Sutton, appearing currently in RKO Radio Pictures' "Roberta." Shirring, the newest note this season, is used on the bodice to add fullness and on the three-quarter length sleeves half-way between the shoulder and elbow. A little turned-down collar is ornamented with twin amber clips and a wide sash of solid green crepe circles the waist and is knotted at the side.

## SIMPLICITY IS KEYNOTE

Charming simplicity is the motif of the lovely formal frock of white embossed crepe enhancing the blonde loveliness of Virginia Reid, currently in RKO Radio Pictures' "Roberta." The bodice is a triangular piece, cut straight across the front neckline and in a deep V in back. A cluster of deep red poppies is caught in a girdle at the waist.

this new tint, so that fashionable women may buy their accessories to match.

## 2.—VAGABOND GREEN:—

This, the second most important colour group, is designed for sports clothes. Three new colours are introduced. "Bluish Green," a pale Tyrolean hue; "Jade," and a flame colour called "Coralline," originated as a contrasting dash of colour to be worn against "Bluish Green" and "Jade."

The Vagabond colour plan provides this fashion news—autumn's sports clothes must have strongly contrasting colours.

## 3.—GIPSY BROWN

This is meant for autumn travel wear. In the group stress is laid on a new shade called "Hallow E'en," a dark, warm brown; and an amber colour called "Bracken Gold," the only orange shade brought forward this autumn.

Here I found an innovation long desired by women. Satin materials specially dyed for blouses worn with nigger suits. The new shade is "Disque," the colour which will harmonise with Hallow E'en. Under this group stockings are dyed a new shade called "Gipsy Tan."

## 4.—TRI-COLOUR SCHEME:—

This tri-colour is based on blue. Two colours of blue, "Admiral" or navy and "Blue Berry," a green-blue, contrast in this plan with a colour called "Rowan Berry," a vivid scarlet. For an alternative contrasting shade on "Admiral" and "Blue Berry" a new colour has been named "Snow Shadow."

## DOESKIN SCARVES

Final fashion tips from the British Colour Council Show were in the display of dooskin scarves. I predict a craze in these scarves as soon as they are on the market, for they are both chic and practical.



An unusual pair of clips, shaped like shields and made of light polished wood, are used at the neck of a sports frock worn by Miriam Hopkins. The clips are inset with thin bands of darker wood.





## SUMMER



## NEW HATS CREATE PACKING PROBLEMS

I suppose I must take a hat-box, but it is a nuisance in a car," writes a correspondent.

Although frayed by the task of getting my friend's excessive number of clothes into a suitcase, I had to expostulate at the idea of the new hat being folded like a sou'-wester.

I soon realised that the hat-box was not large enough. To start with was a lovely cartwheel-shaped, a mass of black lace covered in stiffened tulle, and two ostrich creations in red and beige. This collection crowned the garden-party ensemble of black floral crepe, which occupied the bottom of the box, and would only be worn once or twice. I suggested a large separate box, so that it could be sent back when finished with.

This idea was rejected. In the end it did not go at all. The space was taken by a black felt halo with an open-work velvet crown for the less sunny weather. This was fluted and tilted and difficult to pack. Then there was a queer torpedo toque in brown velvet with a pinched brim of brown lace and a veil at one side. I reminded my friend that different coiffures and changed expressions would be required for each of these ultra-new styles.

The halo should perch on the back of the head, and the toque at its best must slide sideways. Moreover, the wearer of the halo has to point skywards should be tall and girlish, while a sophisticated style is needed for the tilted toque coming over one eye. There was also the pushed forward shovel shape—another difficult affair to pack, with its fluted brim of tomato velvet and a crown of darker felt. The crown curved downwards to hide the hair entirely at the back.

## FELT HERTS

I threw out a white panama, also a delightful shady plain coarse blue straw and substituted a wide beige beret of felt fabric, that had a sporting air. There was a white petersham jockey cap, with a veil, that might be wanted with a plain black town suit.

A new toque of crushed strawberry gaufered velvet appealed to me. It was small and nearly round like a skull cap. It had to be worn at the back of the head, where it had a massed bandeau made of velvet leaves, edged with ostrich. This could tuck in, and



look well for smart cinema and casino wear. These velvet toques will be very fashionable, and may be forerunners of fur models.

I was also intrigued with a perforated felt sports hat, that matched suede shoes in a light brown. Brown is almost as popular a choice for early autumn as black. There was no room for a novel and large Breton sailor in navy felt with a perforated crown, but I managed to squeeze in a toque in black felt, with a mortar-board flat folded crown of petersham. At the corners it was caught like an envelope with gold metal clasps, and it had a narrow scarf to emphasise its very new air. I just managed to add two folding hats, one in a beige stitched cloth and another in a pale-blue crepe de Chine, to do duty for sunshine or rain.

I still have qualms as to how the fluted brims of the halo and the shovel will look on the motor tour after being jolted about in a sports car.

The holiday hat-box, if it is to contain the latest styles, is not going to be so easy as it has been of late years.



## LONDON FASHIONS

## Beach Wear

Bathing suits are primarily designed for comfort and action, but are less of a uniform than in previous years. The most popular are still short wool one-piece swim suits in novelty stitches simulating hand knitting, and in rough texture jerseys. Two-piece suits have waist-length halter tops and trunks. There are 'brassiere' tops and very short trunks for the younger set. Nearly all types of suits have low backs with adjustable straps for sun-bathing.

Wool is the favourite medium for these suits, but hand-knitted effects also appear in pure and synthetic silks. Cotton or linen thread is knitted into open square fish-net mesh and lined with jersey in a contrasting colour. Gingham and cotton materials in bold checks are also used with a jersey lining. Lastex yarn is widely used in woven fabrics for bathing suits, and on rubber suits in various surfaces such as satin, crinkled crepe, and dull ribbed silk.

## BEACH AND SUNBATHING

For beach and sunbathing, trousers are more important than ever, and show plenty of variety. In addition to the usual shorts of jersey and linen, there are others of artificial silk jerseys and all sorts of heavy silks and cottons in printed designs. These may be worn with tailored shirts or with kerchiefs and triangles in brilliant colourings. They are sometimes completed with a knee-length coat or wrap-around skirt in the same material as the shorts. More extreme in style are Eton jackets in a matching material. Divided skirts are seen either narrow and straight like slacks or flared to resemble a skirt. "Plus four" beach trousers are made in cottons or linens.



There are tailored pyjamas for beach wear in foulard or sarah again printed in small conventional designs. A beach overall which only has an elastic at the back of the waist and a halter at the neck is easily put on after bathing. Bathing wraps are mostly in the form of robes and capes or full-skirted tailored coats with wide sleeves. They are generally in terry towelling in vivid colours or in bright prints. There are also very wide swagger three-quarter coats with hood collars and contrasting rope ties at the waist. Reversible beach coats can be attractive as well as practical. In Tahitian printed cottons or chintzes they are lined with towelling. These same gay prints are used for tailored evening dresses and cocktail ensembles which are for informal casino and dance wear. Linens in peasant designs which simulate hand weaving also make up well in this way. These dresses pack easily and launder well, and are particularly useful for cruise and resort wear.

## THE DRESSES OF THE STARS

## Pleating And Simplicity

Claudette Colbert, who starred in Paramount's "PRIVATE WORLD," has a new gown which perfectly combines classic simplicity with a touch of modernity.

It is made in soft white chiffon with flowing lines, and carries a brilliant red chiffon draped sash, and a splash of red flowers at the neckline. With the gown Miss Colbert wears a long, enveloping red, chiffon cape.

The grace of pleating has once again captivated the smartly dressed women of Hollywood. Claudette is wearing a white evening gown of pleated chiffon.

The bodice is outlined in a trimming of pear embroidery, and the long bloused sleeves, spreading to fullness at the wrists, add a classic grace to the gown.

## A YELLOW BUTTERFLY

Gertrude Michael, who appears in Paramount's "FOUR HOURS TO KILL" and "THE LAST OUTPOST," looks like a lovely yellow butterfly in the delicate lace of her new evening gown.

It is in yellow lace over yellow satin and is designed to indicate

## BLACK AND WHITE AGAIN

The ever smart black and white, perfect for summer days in town, is popular at the moment in Hollywood.

Gail Patrick, who appears with Bing Crosby in Paramount's "MISSISSIPPI," is wearing a black lined dress with a white quilted trimming, that is carried out in the collar, cuffs, belt, gloves and hat. This hat shows the influence of the French Revolution "night-cap" shape.

## THE STARS' FAVOURITES

Most of the Hollywood stars have some favourite material or gadget which always characterises their clothes.

Marlene Dietrich, whose next Paramount picture is "THE PEARL NECKLACE," in which she will co-star with Gary Cooper, wears tailored shirts, and there is always a bright coloured flower—usually a carnation—in her lapel.

Loretta Young, featured in "THE CRUSADES" and co-starred with Charles Boyer in "SHANGHAI," loves taffeta and wears it as much as possible. For late summer evenings she wears an



the peak of fashion about eighteen years ago, while for telling the future slender lines to replace the bouffant. The lace of the arms, when outspread, suggests the wings of a butterfly.

## MID-SEASON INFORMALITY

Garole Lombard, who is featured in Paramount's "RUMBA" and "HANDS ACROSS THE TABLE," has a particularly smart formal afternoon or informal evening gown in print.

It is in a distinctive brown white printed crepe, giving a "leopard-skin" effect, and has a soft, wide suede belt in brown, fastened with a large circle of crystal.

The lines of the gown are perfectly simple, the print itself making the model individual.

"old-world" frock of violet taffeta, bouffant, with flesh-coloured reverses and a bunch of purple flowers at the waistline.

Claudette Colbert has a passion for ribbed silk. Her latest model is an early autumn outfit of brown ribbed silk with a gold thread separating the stripes.

## GOLD FINGER NAILS

Hollywood's latest craze, started by Wendy Barrie, who is featured in Paramount's "THE CLOCK STRIKES EIGHT" and "THE BIG BROADCAST OF 1935," is the colouring of the finger nails—and the toe nails when in beach costume—with gold lacquer paint.

One star even has gone so far as to pick out her initials with black on the gold by means of transfers.

## TWO FAVOURITES



Marlene Dietrich, said to be a really reserved person, was the first to get the stars and screen but local the "Mascotte" fashion. Since costume-fans have not yet had the opportunity of seeing any of her pictures.



Paula Wessely, the beautiful American actress, has appeared both on the stars and screen but local the "Mascotte" fashion. Since costume-fans have not yet had the opportunity of seeing any of her pictures.

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If the skin round your eyes shows signs of becoming loose and wrinkled, try the following. Close your eyes and splash the outsides of the lids with very cold water three times a day. Immediately after splashing, squeeze the eyes as tightly shut as you can, then open as far as possible. Squeeze again and open wide repeating three times. At night after cleansing always apply a good feeding cream to the lids and under the eyes.

## SHORT EYELASHES

To make your eyelashes grow longer, a good thing is a little castor oil every night. Rub it gently along the roots of the lashes for a couple of minutes, then very gently take two or three lashes at a time and pull them as though you were going to pull them out. By doing this you stimulate the roots and really give them a mass-

## SENSITIVE SKIN

If your skin is rather fine and is spoiled by numerous small red veins, be particular only to use tepid water—never either hot or cold—and above all never use ice. Ice often is the cause of these little veins. Do not take very hot or very cold food—ices and hot tea, etc., are bad. Avoid extremes in all ways. Use only very mild cleansers and always use a good feeding cream and a foundation that is not too drying. The best means of getting rid of the broken veins is by means of the electric needle. The veins once punctured will dry up.

If you suffer from enlarged pores and a greasy skin, always use a pinch of borax in the water in which you wash your face. After cleansing the face take a little pure spirits of camphor and rub it into the skin till it is quite

dry. This will sting smartly, but it is an excellent corrective for open pores. Continue the treatment daily for three weeks.

The easy frock is that garment to which one always returns no matter what other seductions are in the wardrobe. The weak points as regards interest in a dress are often the skirt and the lower front of the bodice. With buttons, like rivets in a bridge, this interest can often be secured. That dress, for instance, is perfectly safe which buttons down the front and part way down the skirt. Sometimes the dress has a side opening, and buttons can be used here, both above the waist and below it.

## FRONT FULLNESS

Gathering, smocking, gauging all help in the easy frock. A round neck may have gathering in front, rather less on the shoulders, and more at the back. The sleeves may be puffed and closely gathered in. But the point of the dress will lie in the front fullness of the skirt, which is much in vogue just now. This fullness may be let into a straight front-piece just below the belt, which acts as a little yoke, or it may be gauged on a ribbon at the waistline, or consist of pleating, or, again, be dependent on a hitch given to the skirt in front. Front fullness is easy to wear and most convenient for walking. Many suits have skirts with front pleats, which are let loose low down to give plenty of room. An amusing form of dress with the front gathered up and tied as though it were a belt has similar pleating at the elbows of the long sleeves. The semisitting bodice buttons down the front and is finished at the neck with a jabot. It is worn with a prim, teasing cape, which allows the elbows and their fullness to show. The cape also makes for easy clothes, as it can be hung on and off and it makes a dress more or less formal according to need.





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30 Industrials	132.94	132.31	132.66	.30 up
20 Raily	31.03	30.71	30.71	.08 up
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There are several magnificent dance sequences, featuring hundreds of Hollywood's most beautiful girls. The Hawaiian dance number introduces Sol Hoopi and his Orchestra, known to all lovers of the theatre.

## PIONEER CHRONOMETER

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 5.

The four early chronometer which have been lent by the Admiralty to the Science Museum were invented by John Harrison a Yorkshire carpenter, in response to a Government prize offer of £20,000 in 1714.

The requirement was an accurate method of obtaining a ship's longitude when out of sight of land. The only way of doing this is by knowing the exact-Greenwich Mean Time.

The condition of accuracy was that the ship's estimated position must be not more than 30 miles out at the end of a voyage to the West Indies.

Harrison produced, at his fourth attempt, a chronometer which at the end of this voyage was only four seconds out. The ship was within one mile of her position estimated by this chronometer, which was the size of a large watch.

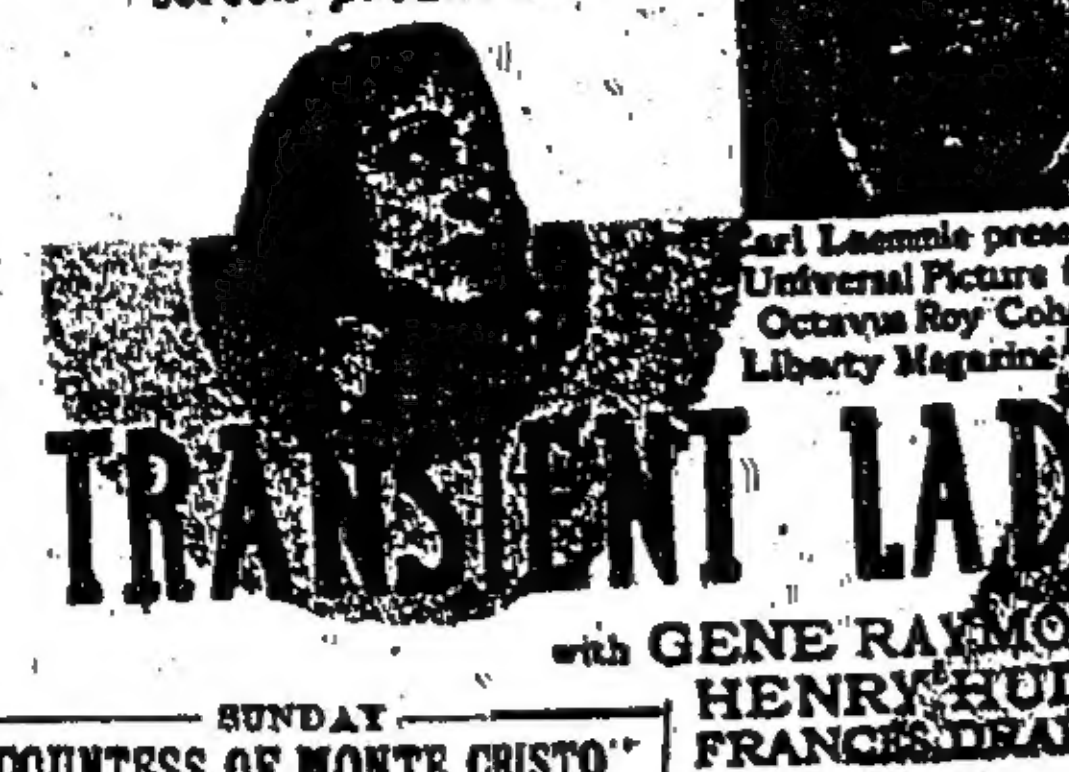
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## TRANSIENT LADY

At The King's

"Transient Lady" now showing at the Alhambra Theatre, is a moving, strongly realistic drama exposing the narrow, small-town, that grasps so eagerly at a chance to exhibit its own high morals by slandering and abusing anyone who differs from the ignorant mob. So vividly is this idea presented that a member of the audience is apt to sit through the picture seething with indignation, and to leave with wonder that the heroine, victim of the forked tongues, could consent to stay in such an atmosphere, even with the man she loved. It is doubtful if one familiar with this environment, would call this pleasant entertainment "strong" or "realistic" are better designations in spite of the happy ending and the expert portrayal of a small group of admirable characters. Frances Drake takes the part of the girl who arrives in the small town of Karmak as a member of a travelling show. She is very attractive and at her appearance a number of village loafers exchange their leering grins and prepare to make trouble. Really, these loafers, the self-righteous women, the blustering politicians, and the avid villagers, make the picture. The leading actors are good enough but they are only a means through which the spirit of the community can be shown. Gene Raymond has the role of a young lawyer who befriends the travelling trio, and he is the hero of an excellent little court scene. Supporting these two, Miss Drake and Mr. Raymond, is a fine cast. Henry Hull, Clark Williams, Frederick Burton, all come near to surpassing the stars if, indeed, they do not actually do so. Running through the story is a series of dialogues by negroes of the town, smooth actors all, who furnish amusing contrast as the grim tale unfolds.

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## NOT-STOP REVUE CHINESE VISITOR

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A unique entertainment in the form of an up-to-date show with thrills and novelties is now being shown at the King's Theatre by "The Tropical Express Revue."

Yesterday the theatre was once again filled to overflowing and the same high standard which was evidenced on the first day's performances was not lacking. The versatile dancers, the talented artists one and all contributed to a programme of over 70 items full of vim and pep and not forgetting the many delightful surprises.

Music, songs, dances short sketches and laughter are all well catered for in the programme and there is not a dull moment in the 2½ hours of good solid entertainment. The acts are all of about 2 minutes duration and before one knows what's happening one is very quickly carried away to the next act.

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## HE GOT HIS COCKENUT

London, August 5.

Of all the thousands who went to Hampstead Heath for all the Fun of the Fair to-day, not one could have had the fun that Mr. Tang Hsi Fan had writes a correspondent. And because I had the honour of introducing Mr. Tang to the fair and the holiday crowd, I claim to be ranked No. 2 in the list of people who most enjoyed themselves.

Mr. Tang has been in England only a little more than a week. He came in the cruiser Suffolk with the art treasures from China, and is in charge of the International Exhibition of Chinese Art to be held at Burlington House during the coming winter. He had never seen anything like Hampstead Heath on a Bank Holiday before.

"My goodness," he said, when we were in the thick of the jostling crowds. (Yes, he said "My goodness.") But I thought Englishmen took their pleasures sadly. Look at these happy faces. They are not sad.

HE GOT HIS COCKENUT

"Look. They are all enjoying themselves. It is good to be a kid again. I suppose that is the idea of this fair?"

He smiled that marvellous, infectious smile of the Oriental. "Come on," he said, "let's be kids again like everybody else here."

We had "three balls for tuppence" at the cockenut-foor times. He might still have been there had he not got his cockenut in the first three shots.

We rolled our pennies on to tables marked in squares in a futile attempt to win a fuzzy-haired doll. We had "five shots for a tanner" with a rifle—twice!—and grinned with delight when we finally hit the celluloid ball, which a jet of water keeps bobbing up and down in rather an elusive and tantalising fashion.

Then he tried the "hobby horses" and the slides. He took a peep at the outlying countryside through the telescope on the hum.

And when he saw the caravans of the fairground people he exclaimed: "And this is where they sleep? It is a good idea. They move about from place to place? Yes? That stops the people getting tired of the fair?"

Then he said: "Why do you call it a bank holiday? In China we have bank holidays, but they are only holidays for the banks. We have national holidays like this, but on different days, of course."

"We have festivals on the national holidays, but not fairs like this. What do you call these roundabouts? We do not have them."

THE FARMER AND THE FAIRY  
There is in China one general holiday which we have but no one really knows why, here is a legend that a farmer once met a fairy, and the fairy told him he must go to the top of a yellow flower hill if he wanted to escape misfortune that year.

"So every year on a special day the people go to the yellow flower hills—I do not know what you call the yellow flower in English and that is how the people keep free from misfortune."

It was warm—and thirsty—work being kids again.  
"Ice cream?" I suggested.  
"Thank you no. When I am thirsty I like to drink something. I tried your English beer once. It is very good."

It was

## TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—

"Tropical Express Non-Stop Revue"

QUEEN'S:—

"One New York Night"

ORIENTAL:—

"The Mayor of Hell"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—

"Black Sheep"

MAJESTIC:—

"Red Morning"

Coming

KING'S:—

"Count of Monte Cristo"

QUEEN'S:—

"Paris in Spring"

"Murder in The Fleet"

## "PLAYING WITH FIRE"

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 5.

Judgment was delivered by Lord Pitman in the Court of Session, Edinburgh, yesterday in a case regarding a Gretna marriage ceremony which took place about 5 a.m., in circumstances which his Lordship characterized as unprecedented.

The action was brought by Maria Bindman, of Montague Street, Edinburgh, against William Fieldman, of Hespial Street, Glasgow. Miss Bindman asked the Court to order the defendant to desist from asserting that he was her husband. It was stated that they met at a dance at Glasgow in July, 1934, and later at the Jewish Institute there. On August 17 they met again at a dance, and Fieldman escorted Miss Bindman to the house of her aunt, with whom she lived. On the way he asked her to marry him, and she agreed. He asked whether her parents would object to her engagement to an unemployed man, and she replied that they might.

He then suggested that they should go to Gretna. He found a taxicab, and they drove there, arriving about 5 a.m. The custodian of the famous smithy was aroused and a Gretna marriage gone through, the parties accepting each other as man and wife and signing the usual document.

They returned to Glasgow, but nothing was said of their escapade at the time, and they never lived together as man and wife. Later Miss Bindman told her father that she was engaged, and they were accepted by a large gathering of relations as an engaged couple. Miss Bindman declared that she never looked on the ceremony as one of marriage, and added that the Jewish religion did not recognize such a ceremony as constituting marriage.

Lord Pitman said Fieldman had not appeared in the case, so that only one side had been heard; but the actions of the parties had been so preposterous that he felt justified in holding that the expedition to Gretna and the ceremony there were just a mad frolic not intended by either party to constitute marriage. Any action by the two before or after tending to show that a marriage was intended or had taken place might have resulted in the two being held to be married; but there was no single item of evidence of such intention, and he was prepared to hold that marriage was not intended when the ceremony was gone through.

The case was a narrow one, and people who went to Gretna should realize that they were playing with first and might get their fingers burned.

## "MAN OF ARAN"

London, Aug. 21.

Three British films have been entered for the third International Cinematograph Exhibition, which is being held at Venice. Last year the first prize was taken by the British film "Man of Aran."

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(Special Air Mail Service)

London, August 5.

"I believe that we are getting through the depression better than any other country. I believe there is an ample future for our coal trade. The steel trade, too, is improving, and if we work shoulder and put our backs into it we will yet see this old country out on top."

Sir Arthur Rose, Government Commissioner for Scotland, was in optimistic mood when he inaugurated the new sewage purification scheme at Hamilton yesterday. The scheme is estimated to cost £142,000, and the Government will contribute a grant not exceeding £108,500.

After putting the first sod at the site of the old sewage works at Balmuir, which will be linked up with the new purification works to be situated near Bothwell Bridge, Sir Arthur expressed his very great pleasure in inaugurating a scheme which would not only be for the good of the community, but which would improve the public health and amenities of the district.

## LABOUR PROVISION INSUFFICIENT

His job, he said, was an almost impossible one, and he had to formulate his own ideas of how best to try and carry it out. The mere provision of labour was not going to solve the problems with which he had to deal.

The right solution would only be found by taking the long view. For instance, one did feel that there could be no attraction for people in an area where the public health services had deteriorated. They in Hamilton had suffered severely because it was one of the places where the depression blizzard had first struck Scotland.

The scheme, which will deal with the sewage of the whole town, will comprise the main purification works and three pumping stations.

Afterwards Sir Henry S. Keith presented Sir Arthur Rose with a silver snuff on behalf of the Council and the community as a souvenir of his inaugural ceremony.

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# AROUND THE COURTS

## NO TICKET

Convicted for failing to pay his fare on Bus No. 788 at Tai Po Road on Wednesday, a 18-year-old unemployed named Chan Chi Suen was fined \$25, or in default one month's hard labour when charged before Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday.

Inspector Portallion who prosecuted stated that when he was asked to produce his season ticket he was unable to do so and was taken to the Company's office where he gave three different names but finally defendant admitted that he did not possess a ticket.

At the police station \$15 was found on him, and when asked why he did not pay his fare, defendant stated that the money was for his monthly expenses. Asked why he did not walk, defendant is alleged to have replied that it was "too hot to walk."

Defendant stated that he could not speak English and that he was from Java. He had been in Hong Kong for three years, and had studied at Shanghai.

## PASSPORT CASES

On pleading guilty to a charge of entering the Colony without a valid passport Richard Franklin Hedrick aged 28, residing at Hotel Cecil and described as a clerk was fined \$10 by Mr. Q.A.A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

According to Sergt. Russell who prosecuted the defendant was found to be without a valid passport when the officers examined the passengers on board the Empress of Russia on Wednesday.

He, however, produced an old passport which had expired in 1933, and there was no visa on it.

Defendant had formerly resided in Hong Kong for four years, and went to Manila last month. It was necessary for him to have a British visa endorsed on his passport before he could be allowed to enter the Colony.

## ANOTHER CASE

A 28-year-old Japanese named Masaharu Nampo, residing at the Tokyo Hotel, also appeared on a charge of entering the Colony a passport.

Prosecuting, Detective Sergeant Russell stated that defendant arrived yesterday on board the Canton Maru and told the police he had come from Swatow to arrange for a passage on the Empress of Russia, sailing on Friday. He had already bought a ticket for Japan on the Empress of Russia. Defendant said he was informed in Japan before coming to Hong Kong that it was not necessary for Japanese to possess a passport for China, and Hong Kong, so he had not troubled to get one.

A fine of \$15 was imposed, and an expulsion order made.

## BAD CHARACTER

Sentence of one year's hard labour to be followed by two years' police supervision at the expiration of the prison term was imposed on Li Ip, aged 28, unemployed when convicted by Mr. Q. A. A. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday of the theft of a purse containing \$20 in Hong Kong money and \$3 in Chinese currency, the property of Kwong Chun Yee an unemployed carpenter, at Des Voeux Road on Wednesday.

While the complainant was walking along the road, according to the prosecuting officer Sub-Inspector Tyler, the defendant snatched the purse from the complainant's pocket and ran away. He was eventually caught by a former police constable named Li Sang.

It was proved that the defendant had ten previous convictions.

Sentence of four months' hard labour was imposed on Ngau Yee, aged 23, unemployed, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday to the theft of a wallet containing \$15 in Hong Kong money and \$5 in Chinese money, the property of Cheung Yee, a travelling trader, residing at 1081, Canton Road. Prosecuting, Detective Sergeant Fowler stated that complainant was at the Canton Wharf, Connaught Road Central, when defendant stole the purse which had been fastened to complainant's girdle. He was arrested by a constable who witnessed the incident. The money had all been recovered.

## CLAIM FOR DAMAGES

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for the Hon. Wan Trading Co. China Building in a claim for damages for breach of a contract of sale against the Yee Loong Firm of Bonham Strand East. The defendant was represented by Mr. E.S.C. Brooks. The claim was heard before Mr. Justice Lindsell in the Summary Court.

It was stated that the claim was for \$33.45, being the difference between the price at which defendants agreed to buy 170 tons of mild steel bars and the price at which plaintiffs eventually disposed of them to Studd and Co.

The sale was not a fraudulent one, said Mr. Silva, and from the fact that the buyers and plaintiffs were in the same building it should not be thought that they were the same firm. They were entirely separate.

M. Brooks said the defence was that there was no contract to buy or, if there were, it was a sale by description and the goods did not comply with the description. There was not sufficient in writing for the contract to come under the Sale of Goods Ordinance.

His Lordship pointed out that the latter was a special defence and notice in writing should have been given.

Chan Wah-yin, manager of plaintiff firm, described negotiations which went on between his broker Ng Lai-chuen, and the defendants. A price of \$2.64 per picul was eventually agreed upon after the assistant manager of defendants had inspected the goods. Subsequently plaintiffs sent for a confirmation note, but defendants asked for another certificate of inspection to enable their own client to examine the goods. They then said that some of the bars rusty and offered a lower price. This plaintiffs refused and later sold for \$2.29 per picul.

Mr. Schacht, manager for Studd said that he allowed plaintiffs to use part of his office, but they were separate concerns. Through the interpretation of Chan Wah-yin on May 29, he heard Ng Lai-chuen make a firm offer of \$2.64 for the iron.

The hearing was adjourned.

The charge against Tolak Singh, an Indian private watchman, who was charged with snatching a purse from Miss Tam Wai-chit, a student at the Hong Kong University, was withdrawn on the application of Detective Inspector M. Murphy before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday, owing to lack of evidence. At the previous hearing, defendant was represented by Mr. M. A. da Silva, and had pleaded not guilty. The alleged snatching occurred on Kennedy Road last Saturday, and the purse contained \$3.60.

Charged with having returned to Hong Kong before the expiration of his term, Chan Fook, 59, unemployed, was sentenced to six months' hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Defendant, who was banished for 10 years on May 14 this year, admitted six previous convictions. Detective-Sub-Inspector Cunningham appeared for the prosecution.

Wong So-mui, a woman, and two men appeared before Mr. Schofield yesterday at the Central Police Court, charged with having over one tael of opium in their possession. R. O. Grimmitt said he visited No. 16 Canal Road on August 21 and searched, first defendant's room and found 86 taels of opium hidden under the boards under the bed. She admitted that the opium was hers and said that she received it from a man from Canton. A fine of \$350, or seven months, was imposed.

When charged with the theft of a bicycle, the property of Cheung Ka-yuk, shop-keeper, Wong Fai, 26, unemployed, pleaded that he had no food. He was sentenced to one month's hard labour by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Inspector Chester-Woods stated that defendant was seen to ride off with the bicycle and was arrested.

Ye King, 30, a married woman, appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday charged with having 301 "pop" lottery tickets in her possession. Defendant was fined \$500 or 12 months' imprisonment. Her husband prosecuted.

## SQUEEZE ATTEMPT

Charged with having obtained 10 cents each from Lee Kin Fook aged 17 and Leung Fook aged 24 both licensed hawkers by pretending to be a constable in the Hong Kong Police Force on August 20, a youth named Chan Tin Leung was brought before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday.

Four further charges of attempting to obtain ten cents each from Wong Kan, aged 19, Lai Sit, aged 18, Chung Kam, aged 31, and Wong Ha, aged 20, all unlicensed hawkers, by pretending to be a constable, were preferred against him.

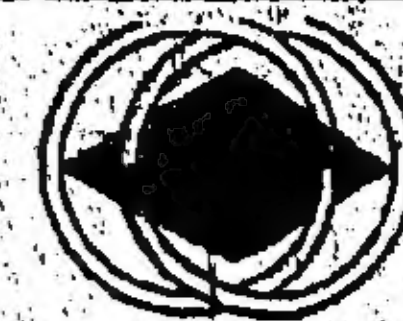
Detective Sergeant T. Cashman, prosecuting, stated that all complainants were hawking in Tung Lei Street when defendant came up to each of them separately, told them he was a police constable, and threatened to arrest them if they did not give him ten cents apiece.

His Worship: They must have been so well trained that they just gave it.

Defendant was found to have been previously bound over, and his bond had not yet expired. A total of fourteen weeks was imposed.

Chan Pui-long and Lai On appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday charged with having dutiable tobacco in their possession. District Watchman No. 47 said he saw defendants walking in a suspicious manner along Des Voeux Road Central near Central Street, and he stopped and arrested them. He found three packets of tobacco in first defendant's pocket, and two packets under second defendant's girdle. A fine of \$2 was imposed on first defendant; while second defendant having one previous conviction for the same offence was fined \$10, or three weeks.

One month's hard labour was imposed upon Chan Pau, aged 34, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday, from 160, Queen's Road Central. Detective took the watch from a showcase by hooking it out with a piece of wire. He was observed to do this by a district watchman and arrested. His Worship ordered the wire to be destroyed.



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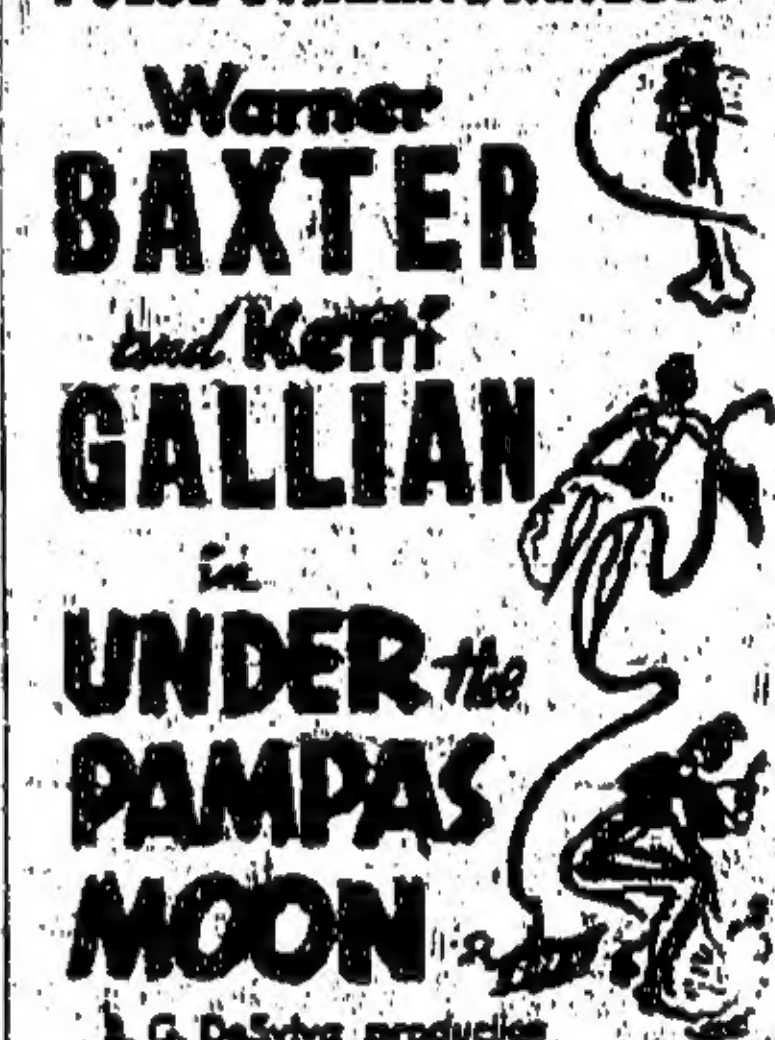
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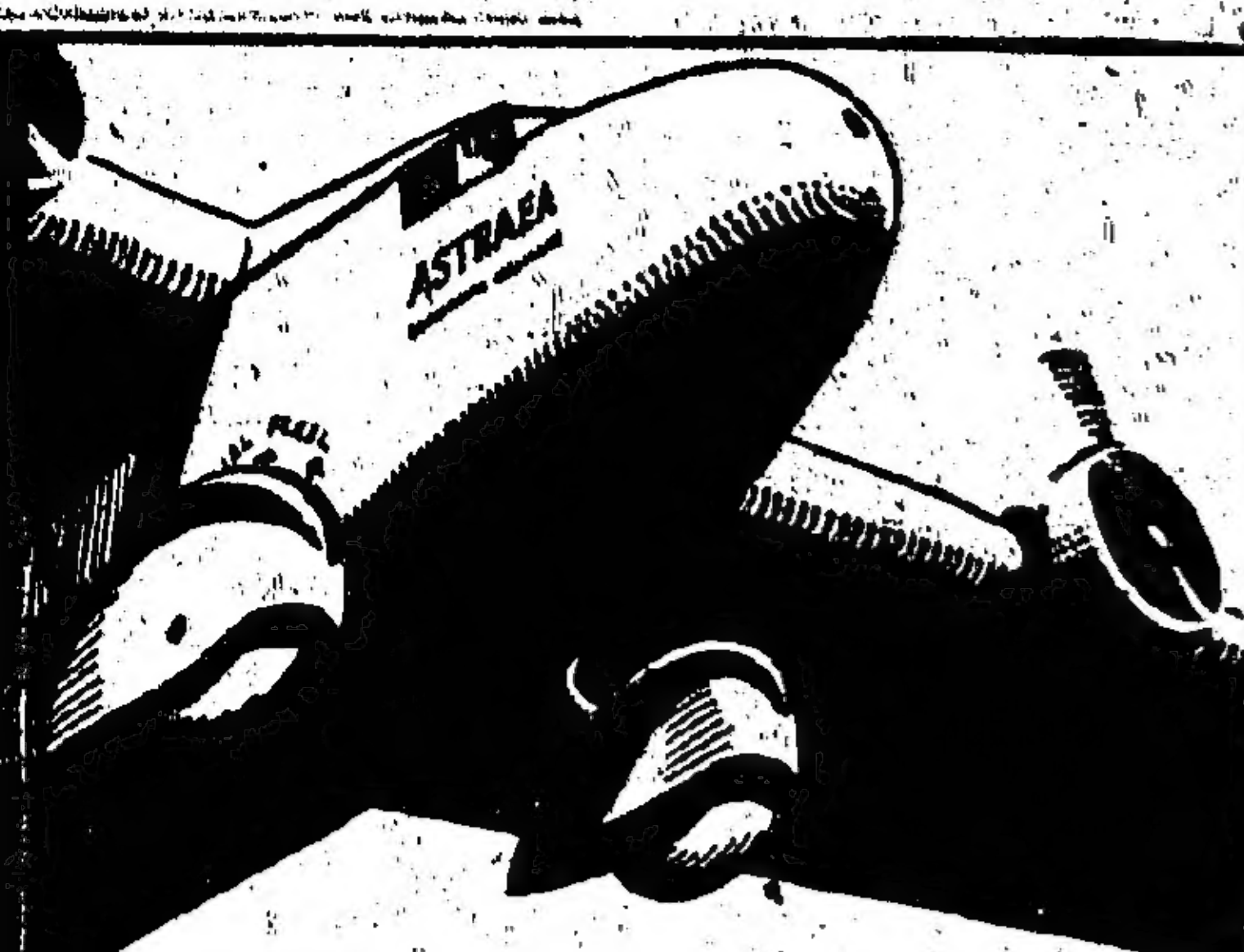
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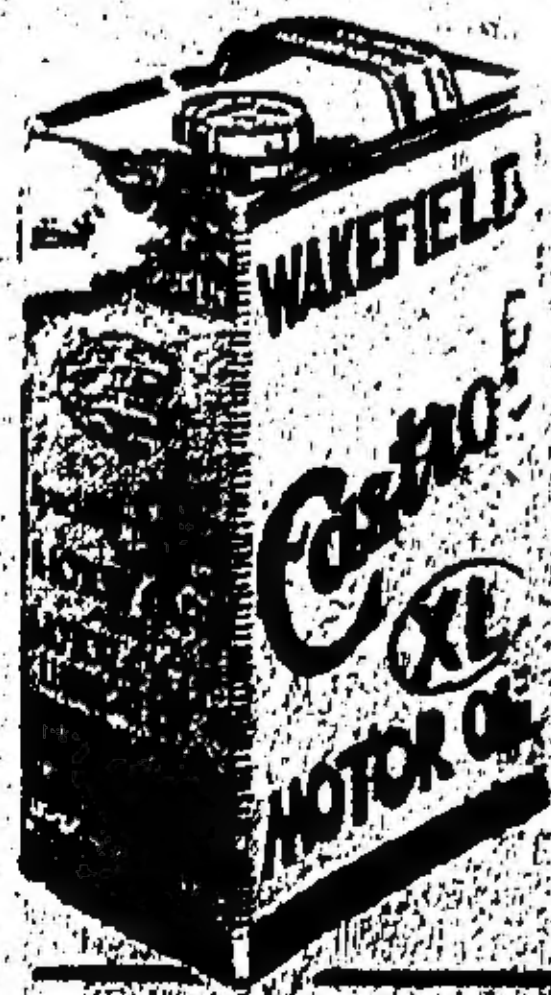
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# LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL MEETING

## City Development Fund Approved

At a meeting of the Legislative Council held yesterday afternoon at the Colonial Secretary's Office, presided over by Sir Thomas Southern, (Officer Administering the Government), Hon. Mr. R. H. Henderson, Director of Public Works revealed that as a result of the Government's attention having been drawn to the matter by the Kowloon Residents' Association, certain provisions were being enforced with regard to the Children's Playground at the junction of Middle and Chatham Roads, in Kowloon, and amongst other items, the Finance Committee will be asked for a supplementary vote for the provision of trees, which would afford shade during the hot summer months.

As regards providing hygienic appliances for drinking water, the Hon. Mr. Henderson said that drinking fountains are being supplied at each of the grounds.

Those present at the meeting included:

Major General O. C. Borrett, General Officer Commanding Troops, Hong Kong.

The Attorney General (Hon. Mr. C. G. Alabaster, K.C., O.B.E.).

The Secretary for Chinese Affairs (Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith).

The Colonial Treasurer (Hon. Mr. E. Taylor).

Hon. Dr. W. B. A. Moore (Acting Director of Medical and Sanitary Services).

Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson (Director of Public Works).

Hon. Mr. M. J. Breen (Postmaster-General).

Hon. Sir Henry Pollock, Kt., K.C.

Hon. Sir William Shenton, Kt.

The Hon. Mr. R. H. Kotewall, C.M.G.

Hon. Mr. J. P. Braga, O.B.E.

Hon. Dr. S. W. Tso, O.B.E., LL.D.

Hon. Mr. W. H. Bell.

Hon. Mr. T. N. Chau.

Mr. H. R. Butters (Deputy Clerk of Council).

### MR. BRAGA'S QUESTIONS

The Hon. Mr. Jose Pedro Braga, pursuant to notice, asked the following questions:—

1. Has the attention of Government been attracted by certain recent letters in the local English newspapers concerning the unsatisfactory condition of the Children's Playground at the junction of Middle and Chatham Roads in Kowloon?

2. What steps, if any, has Government taken to remedy the conditions complained of?

3. Will Government effect immediate improvements in the directions of—

(a) rendering the playground free from the objectionable features specified in the letters referred to in Question 1;

(b) providing hygienic appliances for drinking water;

(c) more effective guarding of the grounds to prevent its use by loiterers and others whose presence on the ground might be open to objection;

(d) the provision of trees in suitable places on the ground to supply shade in the hot summer months;

(e) the exclusive use of the playground by children only with their attendants?

4. Will Government consider favourably the innovation of inviting written suggestions for the improvement of the playgrounds at Kowloon, from mothers for the benefit of whose children the grounds are maintained?

In answers to the questions of the Honourable Mr. J. P. Braga, O.B.E., the Hon. Mr. R. M. Henderson, said:

1. No, but the matter was subsequently brought to the notice of the Government by the Kowloon Residents' Association.

2. Two additional watchmen are now employed making three in all. These are under the supervision of the Custodian of Playgrounds and who in addition to daily duty also pays surprise visits in the evenings.

A drinking fountain is being supplied at each ground.

At Cox's Road orders have been given for a concrete post and wire fence in addition to the existing bamboo fence which is being repaired.

Additional attention is being paid to keeping the grounds tidy.

3. The regulations made under Section 2 of the Public Places Regulation Ordinances of 1919, and set forth in Government Notification No. 700 published in the Gazette of 6th November, 1931, apply to the children's playgrounds at Chatham Road and Middle Road, Kowloon.

The Inspector General of Police will take steps to enforce stricter compliance with these regulations.

It is proposed to amend the regulations with a view to prohibiting any adult not in charge of a child from entering the playgrounds.

The Finance Committee will be asked to approve a supplementary vote for the provision of trees.

4. The Government is at all times ready to consider any suggestions which may be addressed to it by responsible persons.

The Colonial Treasurer in the absence of the Colonial Secretary moved:

That the Report of the Finance Committee (No. 11), dated 11th July, 1935, be adopted.

This was put to the meeting and carried unanimously.

### CITY DEVELOPMENT

The Colonial Treasurer, the Hon. Mr. E. Taylor then moved the following resolution:

That this Council approves the expenditure during 1935, of \$27,439.16 from the Government House and City Development Fund, allocated as follows:—(1) City Development (b) Resumption of Island Lot No. 564—\$27,439.16.

Addressing the meeting, he said: Your Excellency.—The Resolution standing in my name is for the expenditure of certain sums from the Government House and City Development Fund.

As Honourable Members are aware Government envisages in the City Development scheme certain alterations in the layout of the area bounded by Ice House Street, Queen's Road, Garden Road and Lower Albert Road and as early as 1932 it was foreseen that the resumption of I. L. No. 564 might be necessary in this connection. After protracted negotiations with the lot holders it became evident that it would not be possible to arrive at an agreed valuation of the property and Government accordingly resumed the site in December, 1934, and submit the question of the value of the property to arbitration. The Board of Arbitration awarded the sum of \$287,157.—In respect of the property, and costs to each party together with an award to a member of the board totalling \$1,375.—In addition to these awards accrued interest from the date of payment amounting to \$12,907.16 was payable by the Crown, making the aggregate cost of resumption \$274,399.16. Your approval of this expenditure is requested.

The Hon. Mr. Henderson seconded the resolution which was carried unanimously.

With reference to this resolution, the Hon. Sir Henry Pollock asked where the lot in question was situated, and was informed by the Colonial Treasurer that it referred to the lot situated at the corner of Ice House Street, opposite the new National City Bank.

Approval of the Council was then sought by the Attorney General, who rose to move:

That the amendment to the Seavenging and Conservancy by-laws made by the Sanitary Board under section 16 (7) of the Public Health and Buildings Ordinance, 1903, on the 2nd July, 1935, be approved.

The Hon. Mr. N. L. Smith seconded this motion, which was carried.

The first reading to amend the law relating to ordinances, etc. and another to regulate certain official signatures were next placed before the Council, the Attorney General arising to move:

"A Bill to consolidate, amend and simplify the law relating to Larceny and Kindred Offences."

"A Bill to amend the law relating to the falsification of documents and to amend the Forgery Ordinance, 1922."

"A Bill to amend the law relating to false personation."

"A Bill to amend and consolidate the law relating to dangerous drugs."

"A Bill to amend the Summary Offences Ordinance, 1932."

"A Bill to regulate certain official signatures and to provide for the payment of fees therefor."

"A Bill to amend the law relating to Estate Duty and to provide

## OBITUARY

### Mr. A. R. Cader

It is with deep regret that we have to record the death of Mr. Abdul Rahim Cader, who died early yesterday morning at the Government Civil Hospital, following an operation.

The late Mr. Cader was 54 years of age, and 35 years ago, he was employed in the Railway Company at Canton for a period of eight years.

Deceased then came down to Hong Kong and joined the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, with which firm he served for 24 years.

Some years ago, the late Mr. Cader started the Hong Kong Dry-Cleaning Company, which closed down during the Strike in 1925.

The news of his death cast a gloom over a large circle of friends and relatives, especially the Indian Community in Hong Kong.

The deceased is survived by a wife and eight children, three sons and five daughters. One of his daughters is married to Mr. F. D. Pereira, the well-known local sportsman, and reporter of the "South China Morning Post," Limited.

### THE FUNERAL

The funeral took place yesterday evening at the Mohammedan Cemetery, Happy Valley, and was well attended. The service was taken by the Mufti of the Mosque.

The principal mourners at the funeral were the deceased's wife, three sons, five daughters, and his son-in-law.

### THOSE PRESENT

Amongst the large number of friends and relatives who had gathered to pay their last respects were: Dr. H. el Arcubi, Mrs. A. Moosa, Misses M. and K. Tlu, B. Sufiad, Mr. and Mrs. A. R. Abbas, Messrs. S. R. Ismail, A. G. Sufiad, A. K. Sufiad, S. A. R. Ismail, A. K. Minu, Y. Wahab, D. M. A. Razack, A. O. Madar, R. M. Omar, U. M. Omar, A. M. Omar, U. Rumjahn, K. M. Omar, S. A. Cassunho, G. J. Lenz, J. M. A. Rumjahn, S. Curtem, S. A. Ismail, S. A. Sopher, A. F. Castilho, J. L. Gores, R. Nazarin, A. H. Hamat, D. Rumjahn, A. M. Wahib, S. A. Rumjahn, S. Abbas, A. Lock, Boy Scout, under Assistant Scout Master Mr. M. G. Lenz and many others.

### FLORAL TRIBUTES

Wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. Lo Siu Man, Mrs. Wong Chi Sek, Miss A. Carmo, Messrs. P. H. Mody, J. E. Kotewall, Yip Chuek Ping, Wan Chuek Ming, Luk Kui, Ng Fai, Local Staff of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, The Bombay Silk Store, The Nam Cheung Money Changer and many others.

### INFORMATION WANTED

The Bureau of Foreign Trade of the Chinese Ministry of Industry is now in process of compiling a book entitled "Importers and Exporters Guide" which is expected to be published shortly.

Mr. M. O. Han of the Bureau is now in Hong Kong and is busily engaged in collecting information and material for the book. It is his earnest desire that Chinese and foreign firms and factories in Hong Kong and South China will kindly co-operate and furnish him with full particulars of their establishments. Such information are to be forwarded either directly to the Bureau of Foreign Trade, Shanghai, or c/o Mr. Lin Chiamin, Central News Agency, Chung-tin Building, Des Voeux Road, Central, Hong Kong.

No charge or obligation will be made for insertions.

For the payment of any such duty, which may be due, before a successor is registered without probate or administration.

These were seconded by the Hon. Mr. Smith, and when put to the meeting met with no opposition.

The meeting then terminated with the second and final reading of "A Bill to amend the Crown Solicitors Ordinance, 1912, and to repeal the Crown Solicitors Amendment Ordinance, 1935," which was moved by the Attorney General and seconded by the Hon. Mr. Smith.

It was announced by the Officer Administering the Government that the next meeting of the Legislative Council will take place on September 5.

### FINANCE COMMITTEE

Sums totalling \$155,712 came up for appropriation at the meeting of the Finance Committee of the Legislative Council held yesterday.

Two items of which were for \$50,000 for Charitable Services in relation to the Alice Memorial and Affiliated Hospitals and the other for Public Works.

Another item for \$50,217 was for the Kowloon Canton Railway. This was in the nature of special expenditure for two additional second class coaches.

Other items were \$4,000 rewards for the Police Force, \$1,550 for the Volunteer Defence Corps, \$245 for the Botanical and Forestry Department and \$180 being expenses for conveyance and motor allowance for the Supreme Court.

## CORRESPONDENCE

### Reduction Of Rates Sought

The following four letters were sent to the Hong Kong Electric Co., Ltd., the China Light & Power Co. (1918), Ltd., the Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd., and the Hong Kong & China Gas Co., Ltd., by the Chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce regarding the reduction of rates.

20th August, 1935.

The Manager, Hong Kong Electric Co., Ltd., China Light & Power Co., Ltd.,

Dear Sir,—I am directed by my Committee to submit to you the following recommendations with a view to securing a reduction of your electric service charges and deposit requirements.

At a recent meeting of this Chamber especially called for the purpose, the question of your service charges and deposit requirements was brought up and considered. Arising out of this meeting a Sub-Committee was appointed to investigate the matter and see whether this Chamber would be justified in approaching you to make reduction in respect of your service charges and deposits.

This Sub-Committee has now presented a report which this Chamber has fully considered and came to the conclusion that it should make the request to you for reduction.

Despite the fact that your Company has reduced its rate of charges from 16 to 15 cents per unit from last month, the reduction is not to the public's satisfaction as in view of the general economic depression prevailing in the Colony and in view of the fact that the present rate of exchange and the low price of the materials are working to the benefit of your Company, I am directed to submit that the rate of charges (for light service) should be reduced to 12 cents per unit, which is the same rate this Chamber recommended to the China Light and Power Co. (1918), Ltd., Kowloon.

With regard to deposits I am also directed to suggest that you will reduce same by half or even one-third of the amount now required by your company so as to obviate the tying up of funds by your subscribers.

This Chamber has taken the liberty to look into the ordinances governing your Company and notes that it is entirely at your Company's discretion to reduce its rates of charges.

I can also assure you that a large section of the public support this appeal to you for reduction and I have no doubt that you will give this matter your due consideration and hope that your decision on this matter will be favourable.

I am, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Sd. WONG KWONG-TIN,

Chairman.

20th August, 1935.

The Manager, Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd.

Dear Sir,—I am directed by my Committee to submit to you the undermentioned recommendations with a view to reducing your telephone charges and deposits.

At a recent meeting of this Chamber especially called for the purpose, the question of your service charges and deposits was brought up and considered. As a consequence of this meeting, a Sub-Committee was appointed to investigate into the matter and see whether this Chamber would in any way be justified in requesting you to make certain reduction in respect of service charges and deposits.

This Sub-Committee has now presented a report which this Chamber has fully considered and came to the conclusion that it should make the request to you for consideration.

In view of the general economic depression prevailing in the Colony

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Another item for \$50,217 was for the Kowloon Canton Railway. This was in the nature of special expenditure for two additional second class coaches.

Other items were \$4,000 rewards for the Police Force, \$1,550 for the Volunteer Defence Corps, \$245 for the Botanical and Forestry Department and \$180 being expenses for conveyance and motor allowance for the Supreme Court.

and in view of the fact that the number of subscribers to your system has largely increased, I beg to suggest that following rates of charges:—

Service Rate for Resident Per month ..... \$6.00  
Service Rate for Business House per month ..... \$8.00  
Deposits to be reduced to \$25.00

Outlying Districts reduction in proportion.

I may perhaps add that I hope the present rate of exchange is working to the benefit of your Company.

This Chamber has also taken the liberty to look into the ordinances governing your Company, and notes that it is entirely at your Company's discretion to reduce its rates of charges.

I can also assure you that a large section of the public support this appeal to you for reduction. I have no doubt therefore, that you will give this matter your due consideration and hope your decision will be favourable.

I am, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Sd. WONG KWONG-TIN,

Chairman.

20th August, 1935.

The Manager, Hong Kong & China Gas Co., Ltd.

Dear Sir,—I am directed by my Committee to submit to you the following recommendations with a view to securing a reduction of your gas service charges and deposit requirements.

At a recent meeting of this Chamber especially called for the purpose, the question of your service charges and deposit requirements was brought up and considered. Arising out of this meeting, a Sub-Committee was appointed to investigate the matter and see whether this Chamber would be justified in approaching you to make reduction in respect of your service charges and deposits.

Despite the fact that your Company has reduced its rate of charges as mentioned in your announcement on July 8, 1935, such reduction is not to the public's satisfaction as in view of the general economic depression prevailing in the Colony and in view of the fact that the present rate of exchange and the low prices of the coal and other materials are working to the benefit of your Company, I am directed to submit that the rate of charges should be reduced to \$2.40 per 1,000 cubic feet.

Moreover, this Chamber has found out that in 1914 your Company reduced its rate to \$2 per 1,000 cubic feet when the rate of the dollar had gone up to 1/11-1/8 and at 1928 exchange rate of 2/0-1/4 the price of gas was \$2.50; at 1930 exchange rate of 1/6-5/8 the price of gas was \$3; at 1931 exchange rate of 1/5-1/4 the price of gas was \$4; the month (between 1st and 20th day), inclusive average exchange rate of 2/3-3/4 the price of gas is still \$4 when the consumption is below 5,000 cubic feet.

From the above table you will observe that when the exchange came down you increased the rate of charges but now the rate of exchange goes up you should reduce your charges even to the former rate as in 1914. I therefore beg to suggest that a reduction up to \$2.40 per 1,000 cubic feet is a very fair rate of charges during this time.

With regard to deposits I am also directed to suggest that you will reduce same by half or even one-third of the amount now required by your Company so as to obviate the tying up of funds by your subscribers.

This Chamber has taken the liberty to look into the ordinances governing your Company and notes that it is entirely at your Company's discretion to reduce its rates of charges.

I can also assure you that a large section of the public support this appeal to you for reduction, and I have no doubt that you will give this matter your due consideration and hope that your decision on this matter will be favourable.

I am, Sir,

Yours faithfully,

Sd. WONG KWONG-TIN,

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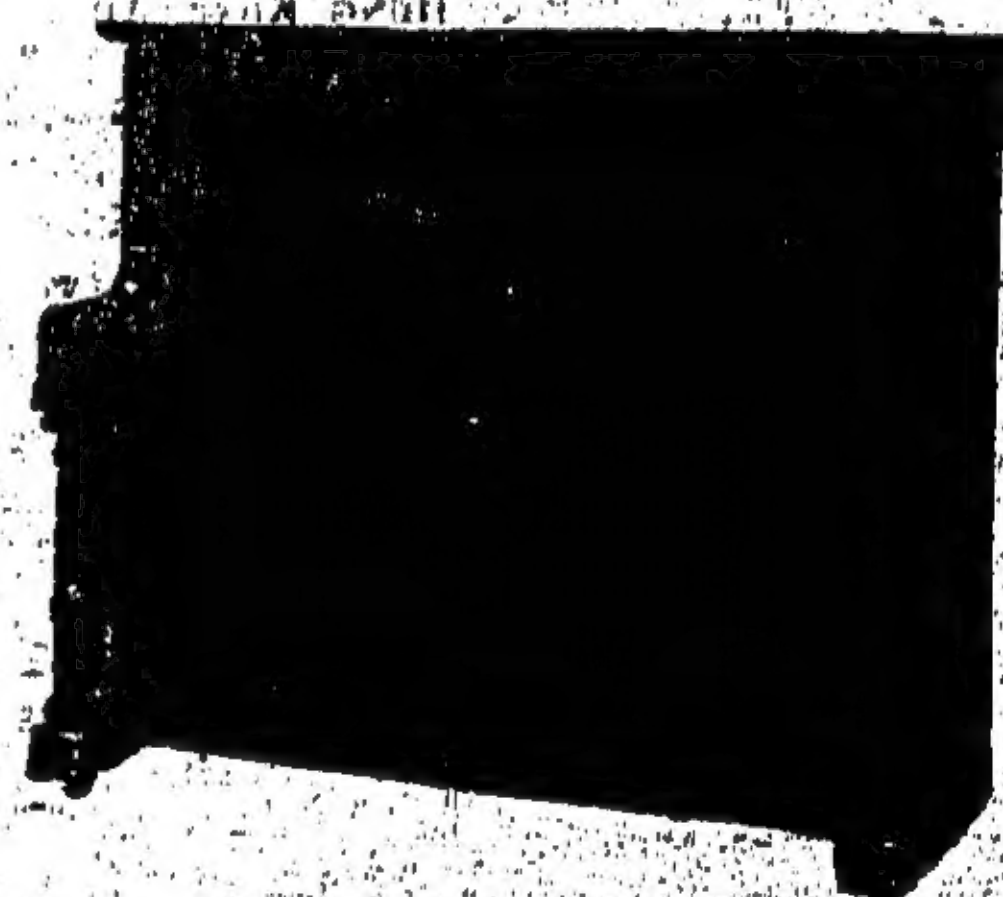
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### IN THE SUPREME COURT OF HONG KONG

#### PROBATE JURISDICTION.

IN THE GOODS OF LOUISE MARIE FELIX EDUARD RIVET, Late of No. 31, Rue de l'Opera Aix-en-Provence in the Republic of France Colonial Resident (Retired), Deceased.

NOTICE "IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Court has, by virtue of Section 58 of the Probates Ordinance 1897, made an Order limiting the time for Creditors and Others to send in their claims against the above Estate to the 17th DAY of SEPTEMBER, 1935.

All Creditors and Others are accordingly hereby required to send their claims to the Undersigned on or before that date.

Dated the 22nd day of August, 1935.  
JOHN SON, STOKES & MASTER,  
Solicitors for the Administrator.

Prince's Building,  
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[3765]

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## GARETH JONES'S DEATH

### Cowherd Tells His Story

Peking, August 22.—Many people gathered at the Embassy Chapel this evening when a memorial service for Gareth Jones was held, those attending representing the British and German Embassies, the Military and Political Councils as well as a number of journalists. The body was cremated last night and the ashes are being sent to England.

#### COWHERD'S STORY

Captain Millar reports that during the search for evidence of the circumstances surrounding Jones's death, he found a cowherd who told him that five or six days ago, while his cattle was grazing, about 60 or 70 horsemen galloped up to the spot and dismounted. The cowherd went on to say that he heard three shots fired and then saw the horsemen mounting and riding off. When he had recovered from the fright, the cowherd visited the scene and found the body of a white man with a bullet wound in the back of his head and two in the chest.

#### TROOPS ARRIVE

Five hours later, a body of Pao An Tui's troops arrived for the purpose of making contact with the bandits and making negotiations for the release of Gareth Jones. They were shown his body and they then assumed charge of it. [Reuter.]

## JAPANESE OFFICIALS CRITICISED

Shanghai, Aug. 22.—"I have no power to prevent Japanese officials making themselves ridiculous, either here or in any other part of the world," said Mr. J. B. Powell, editor and publisher of the "China Weekly Review," when interviewed concerning the indignation felt by Japanese over an article in his journal of July 27, in which the sentence imposed on the publisher of the "New Life Weekly" was discussed. Previously, a spokesman of the Japanese Military Attaché's office in Shanghai had criticised the article on the ground that it revived the worst and most objectionable parts of the "New Life Weekly's" gossip about Emperors. The spokesman told the Japanese press that "we believe the Japanese authorities will soon take serious action in connection with the matter." [Reuter.]

## COTTON PROCESSING

Washington, Aug. 21.—The special Cabinet committee which has been studying the textile industry (to-day oppose) discontinuance of the cotton processing tax. Among other recommendations, the committee suggested control of imports of Japanese goods, preferably by means of "a voluntary friendly agreement" with Japan. The committee also recommended the establishment of a committee to study the problem of regional wages differentials in the textile industry, and also the rejection of the proposal that raw cotton now financed by the Government be made available to manufacturers for the production or export goods with an allowance of seven cents a pound, upon exportation of the finished product. [Reuter.]

all the responsibility on the shoulders of the Governor-General, instead of giving him the support of a positive inhibition. Why the Government should so obstinately strain at this gnat, if they really intend Lancashire's trade to be protected from unfair discrimination, can only be conjectured. Lord Derby may be able to enlighten his "industrial friends in the North" on this point. But it is plain that he is not satisfied with Ministerial excuses. Possibly the same motive is to be traced here as is behind the Government's sudden conversion to the principle of direct election to the Upper House together with indirect election to the Lower House. It is an attempt to placate at once those who fear direct election and those who denounce indirect election. Its one effect will be to alarm the former without in any way pacifying the latter.

## CABLE NEWS IN BRIEF

Washington, August 22.—Dr. Alfred Sze presented his credentials to-day as the first Chinese Ambassador to the United States. —Reuter.

Batavia, August 22.—An Ordinance has just been issued restricting the employment of foreigners in Java. —Reuter.

London, August 22.—A private British Company is planning to establish an air service between Singapore and Penang, twice daily. It is expected to start towards the end of the year. —Reuter.

## HITLER'S SYMPATHY

[Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyrighted).]

Munich, August 21.—Chancellor Hitler telegraphed to Herr Goebbels "I am sincerely mourning the 'tunnel collapse catastrophe, and I desire you to convey to the members of the families of the unfortunates overtaken by the disaster, my profound sympathy."

"I hardly dare to hope that it will perhaps be possible by 'excavation work going on to rescue some of those buried by the subsidence of the earth. Please give the unhappy families from me, as a first payment the sum of 30,000 reichsmarks. Adolf Hitler."

Transocean Radio News

## WANG WITHDRAWS

Shanghai, Aug. 22.—Mr. Wang Ching Wei has agreed to withdraw his resignation and resumes his duties to-day. He will be presiding at a meeting of the Executive Yuan this afternoon. —Reuter.

## JAPAN AND PARITY

Tokyo, Aug. 22.—It is learned that Britain recently sounded Japan on the question of a resumption of multilateral naval talks in London in October. The Cabinet is reported to have decided to instruct the Japanese Embassy to remind Britain of the Japanese demand for parity, with a common upper limit for tonnage, and to stress the point that, failing prior acceptance, Japan will decline to resume the talks. —Reuter.

## THE DAVIS CUP

London, Aug. 5.—After Perry had beaten Allison at Wimbledon to-day and given Great Britain a five-to-nothing victory over the United States, the challengers, there was a little ceremony. First of all two large coconut mats were brought out (the net having been removed) and placed end to end in the middle of the court. A stand was placed on the middle of the mats, which was then draped with the Union Jack and the Stars and Stripes. Then an ornamental round base, embellished with silver, was laid on top of the stand, and on top of that the Davis Cup, all nicely cleaned for the occasion. A strong posse of photographers took up position.

Then the two teams arrived—all but Allison and Perry in muffin, which made them look quite ordinary people. The Americans elected to have their hands in their pockets. Our men had their clasped behind them. Little Mr. Roper Barrett was at the end of the line, which carefully touched the side line. Then Princess Helena Victoria, accompanied by Sir Samuel Hoare and Sir Herbert Wilberforce, came on the scene, and Sir Samuel intimated that the Princess would present the cup.

The Princess made an inspection of the line drawn up, our men executing courtly bows, the United States (Budge in particular) giving the most friendly nods. That part over, the Princess presented the cup. One felt there should have been a fanfare, but there was nothing like that. Mr. Roper Barrett received the cup and managed to retreat with it back to his place, still bowing and walking backwards, a stirring feat. After the Princess departed the triumphant team, Perry, Austin, Tuckey, and Hughes, were "shot" with the trophy, Mr. Barrett and Austin holding it jointly.

## THE FLYING CLIFFER

Midway Is., Aug. 21.—The flying "Clipper" has arrived here and will remain a few days before leaving for Honolulu. —Reuter.

## STRAIGHT FROM THE SHOULDER

(BY NO QUARTER)

"Shades of the past! The click of bat against ball under the shadow of the old elm tree, the sweet feel of the willow against the spinning leather sphere." Those verdant fields where muscular clergymen forged the keel of England's valiant vessel! And to what end? The question is purely rhetorical. What I mean to say is that we have gone and lost another series of test matches. In the days when to be an Englishman meant a good deal more than exploring every avenue to find a formula, we used not to lose Test Matches. We used even to win them, though I understand that by the present rules of the game, that is now mercifully impossible.

As far as I can understand the present rules, the batsman is allowed to cover half the wicket with his body. The bowler may then bowl. Should he strike the batsman below the belt, that is a good thing and is called L.B.W. Should he strike him above the belt, that is a bad thing, and is called body line; this renders the bowler liable to be pelted with abuse, and old oranges.

I once knew a chap called Gludge, who bowled the fastest sneaks I have ever seen. F. Gludge, I mean. He and his brother, D. Gludge, in 1882 dismissed an English side for the paltry total of 4 runs. The method they used on that occasion was as follows: when F. Gludge bowled, D. Gludge kept wicket, and as the batsman was about to strike the ball, D. Gludge made a hideous noise on the French Horn (fancy, a French horn in Cricket). The score was as follows: reischmarks. Adolf Hitler."

## AN ENGLAND ELEVEN

Mr. W. G. Grace, hit wicket	0
Dr. G. W. Grace, sat wicket	0
J. L. Hobbs, c and b	0
Mr. Spofforth, h and c	0
Mr. W. G. Grace, hit wicket	0
Barnes, run out	0
E. Jones, c Napping, b Gludge	0
B. Jones, c Shortt, b Gludge	0
Dr. Crippen, run in	0
M. Jones, Snuffed out	0
"Mr. W. G. Grace, hit wicket	0
Extras	4

Total

(Shaved his beard, and went in again).

(False moustache and leggings).

The Wigan Occasionals

F. Gludge, not out

D. Gludge, not out

Extras

Total for no wkt.

Won by ten wickets.

Mrs. Ruglinson did not bat.

AN ABYSSINIAN EPIGRAM?

Poker, duces wild.

THE TOURIST QUESTION

This vital question, so much in the public eye at present, is of special interest to me, and I do not think I shall be giving away any secrets when I say that I have been

approached, quite unofficially of course, with a view to my accepting some sort of position in this new activity. I have indeed accepted provisionally, provided the post is accompanied by the honorary rank of Lance Corporal in the Fire Brigade, and a case of whisky.

It was suggested that I should hand each visitor to Hong Kong, as he stepped off the Quay, a photograph of myself, so as to be sure that every tourist should arrive smiling. I have also been engaged to dance an Argentine Tango at the Lido with Mrs. Ruglinson.

STOP PRESS. I am in a position to contradict the rumour that a recent visitor to the colony, being shown round the new Bank Building, remarked to one of the managers, "Well Bish, I certainly like your cathedral."

He sent his son to foreign parts. To work among his father's betters. In China, where the men pull carts. Jim wrote about it in his letters.

And every time the Eastern Mail came in.

His father read his letters at the Inn.

A peace and friendliness was here. Brown mugs that frothed with English beer.

And wrinkled, honest, stupid faces that "didn't hold with furrin' places."

On leave, Jim found that bitter from the Pub.

Was not so grand as whisky in the club.

The following unclaimed telegram is lying at the offices of the E.E. Telegraph Co. Ltd.: R4728, August 15, Reg Dansey care Gibbs from Sydney.

The body of a Chinese male, aged about four years, was found on the shore of Stonecutters Island at 12.30 p.m. yesterday, whence it was removed to the Kowloon Mortuary.

A talk on the objects and aims of the Overseas League will be given by Mr. L. W. B. Teeling, a member of the League's Governing Council, to members of the Kowloon Cricket Club at 6 p.m. to-day in the Club Pavilion. All members are invited to attend.

A fatal motor accident occurred at Nullah Road, Mongkok on Wednesday morning when car No. 3275 driven by Pui Lam, licensed driver, knocked down and killed Fung Yeung, 19, of 17 Nullah Road. The man was unconscious when picked up, and died on admission to Kowloon Hospital.

Mr. O'Neal Gordon, assistant Manager of the Standard-Vacuum Oil Co., reports to the police that between 6 p.m. on Tuesday and 7.30 a.m. on Wednesday, someone stole a table fan and ornaments valued at \$28 from the premises.

While driving a motor cycle along Shing Wo Road on Wednesday, Lai Wah Hon, a Sanitary Inspector, knocked down a Chinese woman named Chan Kwai, causing injuries to her right hand. The unfortunate woman was taken to the Government Civil Hospital.

## NEWS SUMMARY

Great interest was attached to an adultery case which was heard by Mr. E. L. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. The hearing was adjourned to Wednesday next week, August 28, at 2.30 p.m. Page 6.

The Statistical Office of the Imports and Exports Department reports that the combined values of imports and exports of merchandise during the first seven months of 1935 amounted to \$378.7 millions. Other figures are found on page 11.

The funeral of the late Mr. Abdul Rahim Cader, late of the Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China, who died in the early hours of yesterday, at the Government Civil Hospital, following an operation, took place at the Mohammedan Cemetery, Happy Valley yesterday evening, and was very well attended. Page 7.

A meeting of the Legislative Council was held yesterday, when it was revealed that certain provisions are to be made with regard to Children Playgrounds in Kowloon. Page 7.

Four letters were addressed yesterday by the chairman of the Chinese General Chamber of Commerce to the two Electric Companies, the Gas Co., and the Telephone Co., asking for a reduction in their rates. Page 7.

The Royal Welch Fusiliers held their annual Aquatic Meet at the Y.M.C.A. bath yesterday.

"B" Company won the Aggregate Cup with 20 points while "A" Company came second with 18 points while "C" Company came second with 18 points. Page 10.

A claim for damages for breach of a contract of sale was made by the Hon Wan Trading Co., China Building, against the Yee Lee Loong Firm of Bonham Strand East, at Supreme Court yesterday before the Puisne Judge, Mr. Justice Lindell.

Mr. M. A. da Silva appeared for plaintiffs and Mr. E. S. C. Brooks, of Harding & Co., represented the defendants. Page 6.

Richard Franklin Hedrick, aged 28, described as a clerk and residing at the Hotel Cecil, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday on a charge of entering the Colony without a passport. He pleaded guilty and a fine of \$10 was imposed. Page 6.

A youth named Chan Tin-leung, living at 145, Ki Lung Street, appeared before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday, charged with having obtained 10 cents each from Lee Hin-foo, aged 17, and Leung Foo, aged 24, both unlicensed hawkers, by pretending to be a constable in the Hongkong Police Force, on August 20. Page 6.

Li Ip, aged 28, unemployed, was charged before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Magistracy yesterday with theft of a purse containing \$29 in Hongkong money and \$3 in Chinese money, the property of Kwong Chun-ye, an unemployed carpenter. Page 6.

Chan Chi-suen, 18, unemployed, was fined \$25, or, in default, one month's hard labour, when he appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday for failing to pay his fare on bus No. 788 at Taipo Road. Page 6.

The reconstruction of the No. 1 wharf, Kowloon, is going on apace, and should be completed and ready to berth ships by 1st September. Page 7.

## WARM WEATHER

London, Aug. 21.—The warm weather in London and Southern England continues, 82 degrees Fahrenheit were recorded in London this afternoon, compared with 80 at same time yesterday. British Wireless.

A report has been made to the police by Sun Tak Kwong, of 47 Tai Street, ground floor, to the effect that some person or persons entered his house by boring a hole in the backdoor and stole \$1,500 in money and jewellery valued at \$300.



# MINISTERS GATHER AT 10 DOWNING STREET

## Anxious Crowds Await News Of The Discussions GREATER RISKS HAVE TO BE FACED

London, August 22. The "Times" in a leading article says that the Government and nation must face the questions as to what sanctions they will be prepared to carry out if the League Council on September 4, or at a later date, decides that an act of aggression has been committed by Italy. After referring to the British lead in the Saar Plebiscite measures, the leader continues that in the present case graver issues are at stake and far greater risks have to be faced.

There are also some valid arguments for a policy of abstention, but the conscience of this country is touched and it is up to the League now, to show that it is not afraid of Signor Mussolini and that it will do so if Britain takes the lead and makes definite proposals at the Geneva Meeting. The nature of any sanctions to be taken is not a matter for immediate decision, but the sooner it is considered by all countries the more likely the sanctions are to be effective if the grave necessity for their application arises.—*Reuter*.

### GRAVE MINISTERS

London, Aug. 22. A large squad of police were on duty at Downing Street to control the crowd when the fateful meeting of the Cabinet opened at 10 a.m. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald was the first to arrive and he halted at the steps of No. 10 in response to the requests of an army of photographers at whom he smilingly shook his stick before entering.

The ministers, all looking grave, continued to arrive in an almost uninterrupted procession, each posing for the photographers. The crowds were entirely undemonstrative throughout.

Mr. Stanley Baldwin presided at the meeting and all twenty-two members were present. It is understood that three lines of discussion were prepared for the Cabinet's consideration, firstly, a survey of the general situation with special reference to Mussolini's rejection of the Anglo-French proposals for a peaceful settlement of the dispute, secondly the consideration of the Government's policy when the dispute comes before the League Council on September 4, and thirdly, a review of the Government's decision to withhold the licences for the export of arms either to Italy or Abyssinia.—*Reuter*.

### EAGER CROWDS

London, August 22. Despite the protracted session of the Cabinet meeting, the crowds at Downing Street increased in the afternoon, awaiting the dispersal of the Ministers, and were kept moving by a squad of police. After a three-hour session in the morning the luncheon adjournment was made at 1 p.m. and the meeting resumed at 2.30 p.m. and was still deliberating at 3.45 p.m.

It is intended to complete the Abyssinian deliberations to-day and the ministers will probably resume their holidays to-morrow.—*Reuter*.

### ALL PRESENT

London, Aug. 21. Practically the whole Cabinet is now assembled in London for tomorrow's meeting.

Mr. Baldwin arrived from the Continent this afternoon, accompanied by Mr. Neville Chamberlain, whom he met en route. The Prime Minister immediately proceeded to Downing Street.

Sir Bolton Eyres-Monsell, First Lord of the Admiralty, landed at Portland from yachting trip and is now on his way to London. Viscount Cecil has visited the Foreign Office.—*Reuter*.

### PARIS ANXIOUS

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Paris, Aug. 22. The outcome of the British Cabinet meeting is awaited by political circles here with the utmost anxiety, which is reflected in all manners of conjectures in the press, "though it is to be expected" writes the usually well-informed *Madame Taboulin* in "Oeuvre," "that the Cabinet will affirm the support of the League of Nations, and the application of sanctions in the case of Italian aggression, and this will merely be an election manoeuvre to pacify the opposition."

"In reality not a single British minister considers the application of sanctions possible without war resulting immediately. Even the closing of the Suez Canal would lead to serious consequences." "Historical importance" is attributed to the resolution which

### SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, August 22. London silver prices to-day were unchanged for Spot and up 1/8 for forward as follows:—

	Aug. 21	Aug. 22
Spot	29	29
Forward	28-11/16	28-13/16

London on New York cross-rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.9818 as compared with 4.9825 at closing yesterday.

Commonwealth representatives who took part in the conversations with the Foreign Secretary this morning were Mr. Stanley Bruce, Australia, Sir James Parr, New Zealand, Colonel G. P. Vanier, Canada, Mr. C. T. de-Walter South Africa, and Mr. Dulanty, Irish Free State.—*British Wireless*.

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### RESOLVED ON WAR

New York, Aug. 22. Britain and France will have to confine to themselves those sanctions which can be applied without the assistance of the United States, declared the "Herald-Tribune" in an article to-day.

The United States cannot collaborate, however remotely, in a punitive action against Italy, Abyssinia or any other power without becoming involved in European politics and so surrendering our fundamental policy of neutrality.

The "New York Times" raises the question of America's formal application for sanction and asks why should not we do all in our power to deter a country which is, seemingly, resolved to make war.—*Reuter*.

### TO STAND BY

Shanghai, Aug. 22. The Italian cruiser "Quattro" flagship of Commodore Brivonesi, the Naval Commander-in-chief in the Far East, has been ordered to proceed to Shanghai from Petaiho. It is believed that she will be sailing for Europe very shortly.—*Reuter*.

### ITALIAN CREDITS RECALLED

London, Aug. 22. The City Editor of the "News Chronicle" understands that one of the "Big Five" banks has recalled the whole of its Italian credits. He adds that as credits not utilised and must be repaid by the Italian banks or the commercial firms for which they have been granted. It is probable that this lead will be followed by all the other big British banks. The decision is not due to dictation from the Bank of England or the Treasury but is a normal precautionary measure which is taken in view of the serious deterioration which has occurred in the Italian exchange position.—*Reuter*.

### GENERAL TALKS

London, Aug. 22. The Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, reached London this afternoon from Aix-les-Bains at the same time as the Chancellor of the Exchequer, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who has also returned from holiday abroad.

Soon after the Prime Minister's arrival in Downing Street the Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare, the Minister for League Affairs, Mr. Eden, and other leading Ministers, were in consultation with him preparatory to the meeting of the Cabinet called for ten o'clock to-morrow morning to hear a report on the breakdown of the three-power talks in Paris on the Italo-Abyssinian dispute.

Opposition leaders have been officially acquainted with the general situation and the Ministers have also had talks with a number of "Elder statesmen" and Empire representatives.

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### BRITISH ACTIVITY

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Rome, August 22. A squadron, from the British Mediterranean Fleet, it is learned here have been ordered to take up stations in Egyptian waters during the months of September and October.

The ships are anchored off Alexandria and Port Said, as usual, it is affirmed, but half are at Suez and half at Ismailia, the two entrances to the Suez Canal in the Mediterranean.

It is further reported that the British troops in Egypt left have their garrisons for camps at Port Said and Suez.—*Transocean Kuo Min*.

### NOT KEEN TO SERVE?

Basle, Aug. 22. A large increase is reported throughout the country in the number of Italians applying for Swiss citizenship during the last month. Most of the applicants are young men who are liable for military service.—*Reuter*.

### NO PARTIALITY

London, Aug. 22. The British and French Governments have expressed to Italy their strong hope that she would be represented at the League Council Assembly on September 4, and the absence of any contrary information is a strong presumption that she will attend.

It is authoritatively learned that during to-day's Cabinet meeting it was decided that Britain would under no circumstances differentiate between Italy and Abyssinia in regard to any revised decision relating to the export of arms.—*Reuter*.

### DOWNING STREET

London, Aug. 21.

Not since the domestic crisis of 1931 has Downing Street in August presented such a scene of activity as it did to-day. Large crowds watched the arrivals and departures of Ministers and other leading statesmen. Numerous photographers and representatives of British and foreign newspapers were also present.

It is understood that the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Cabinet will discuss the agenda of to-morrow's meeting of the full Cabinet which will contain three main topics: namely, Mr. Eden's report of the Paris conversations, the British Government's attitude at Geneva, and question of the export of arms to Abyssinia.

Earlier talks between Empire representatives, the High Commissioners of Canada, Australia, and New Zealand, and members of the Foreign Affairs Committee



The Emperor of Abyssinia who has intimated that he will personally lead the way in the event of war breaking out.

### BOMBAY SILVER MARKET

#### Tense Situation Exists

Bombay, Aug. 22. A tense situation exists on the Bombay silver market.

A board meeting of the Bullion Exchange was held yesterday but it was not able to decide what course of action should be adopted to overcome the market difficulties, as the affairs of a prominent operator are still a matter of judicial proceedings.

The Board is meeting again to-day.—*Reuter*.

#### OCTOGENARIAN DIES

Athens, Aug. 22. The death was reported to-day of the world-known octogenarian, Coudou Rottis, who was the first president of the Greek Republic. He was also known as the "Grand Old Man" of Greek politics.—*Reuter*.

were described as "mainly informative."

This term suggests that the Dominions' representatives have been asked to communicate with their Governments and ascertain their views upon certain points.

The suggestion is made that Sir Samuel Hoare, when he saw the United States Charge d'Affaires, requested a change in the United States' attitude. This is authoritatively described as a foundationless report.—*Reuter*.

#### LONG TALK INDICATED

London, Aug. 21. An emergency meeting of the Ministers of the British Government, presided over by the Prime Minister, Mr. Stanley Baldwin, was held at 5 p.m. to-day, Sir Samuel Hoare, the Foreign Minister, Mr. Anthony Eden, the Minister for League Affairs, Mr. Malcolm MacDonald, Colonial Secretary, Mr. Neville Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer, and Sir John Simon, Home Secretary, were present.

To-morrow's Cabinet meeting is called for 10 o'clock, the unusual hour indicating a prolonged discussion.

It is believed that the full details of British policy will not be elaborated to-morrow, but a decision on general principles is expected.

The Cabinet is believed to be divided on the issue of sanctions against Italy, those favouring this step believing they can be imposed without involving the gravest of consequences, and the others holding that Britain's effort should be confined to restricting the conflict to Africa.

It is understood that an emergency meeting of the Ministers comprising the Foreign Affairs Committee, after hearing Mr. Eden's report to-day on the Paris tri-power conversations and Sir Samuel Hoare's views thereon, will decide what policy it should recommend to the Cabinet to-morrow.

Sir Samuel Hoare and Mr. Eden also conferred to-day with Mr. Winston Churchill and the Labour Opposition leader, Mr. George Lansbury.—*Reuter*.

#### TO STAND FIRM

London, Aug. 21. It is understood that as a result of the meeting to-day of the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Cabinet, that a policy has been decided upon for recommendation to the full Cabinet to-morrow. The recommendation will be that Britain should stand firm



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### IMPORT DUTIES

On Lead And Zinc

London, Aug. 21.

The Treasury has issued an order, on the recommendation of the Import Duties Advisory Committee, fixing as from August 27 the duties on unwrought lead and zinc at 7s. 6d. and 12s. 6d. per ton respectively, or ten per cent. "ad valorem" whatever is less.

The change is in response to representations regarding the working of the "world price" formula embodied in the Ottawa Agreement. The Governments of Canada, Australia and India have accepted the abrogation of the Ottawa provision, and the new arrangements are the subject of an understanding between producers, consumers and the London Metal Exchanges.

The Committee indicates that the arrangements are an experimental compromise, subject to reconsideration at need. The main feature is, the substitution of a specific duty, as stated, for the present ten per cent. duty with no obligation on either to supply or buy Empire metal.—*British Wireless*.

ly by her obligations under the League of Nations Covenant.

The decision implies the use of sanctions against Italy as a last resort if the League Council agrees to this step.

It is believed that France is emphatically inclined towards the attitude which the British Government intends to adopt.

Consultations which Sir Samuel Hoare held with the leaders of various other political groups to-day were definitely designed to inform them of the general lines of the policy which is likely to be pursued as a result of to-morrow's Cabinet session. These conversations which were in the nature of a new departure, were taken to indicate that the Government has no present intention of summoning Parliament to meet before the scheduled date, October 29.

The emergency meeting of the Cabinet ended at 8.55 p.m., after almost two hours of deliberation.—*Reuter*.

ITALY AND THE LEAGUE  
(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Paris, August 21. The Rome correspondent of the "Paris Sol" declares that he received from the Press Ministry a firm assurance that the Italian Government would participate in the League of Nations Council Session on September 4.

While Italy, it was added, wanted on the one hand to retain freedom of action for the defence of her colonies and the gratification of her desire for expansion in Africa, she wished on the other hand to remain in touch with the Western Powers, in order to set forth the collaboration work for the maintenance of European safety. It was also explained that Italy was responding to the friendly pre-

### THE EXCHANGE MARKETS

Nervous Expectancy

London, August 22. An air nervous expectancy pervades the City where groups in all offices and exchanges clustered around the tickers, eagerly awaiting news of to-day's momentous Cabinet meeting.

The Stock Exchange presents a gloomy appearance and shares of nearly all sections are being down. The commodity markets, on the other hand, are generally bullish, wheat, cotton, maize, and base metals having all recently risen owing to the war scare.

Among the Foreign Exchanges the official spot rate for the lira was rigidly controlled but the three months' rates now stands at a seven lira discount, while quite considerable business has been done, unofficially, for the spot lira at a large discount as compared with the official rate.

Moreover bankers and exporters are unwilling to grant financial accommodation to Italy or renew existing credits and the "News Chronicle" understands that one of the "Big Five" banks has recalled the whole of its Italian credits.

Paris and New York are also reluctant to make advances, therefore it is difficult to see where Italy will obtain her funds for war, especially as Italian finances are already in a precarious position.—*Reuter*.

### LORD NUFFIELD'S GIFT

London, Aug. 21. A gift of £5,000 by Lord Nuffield has enabled the National Institute for the Blind and St. Dunstan's to begin the compilation of a library of "talking books" which will be recorded for mechanical reproduction. Special machines for use of the blind are being manufactured. Some 25 titles have been already selected, ranging from the Gospel of St. John to modern thrillers.—*British Wireless*.

sure from the French Government, and acknowledged the solidarity which the French Premier claimed towards the Italian people.—*Transocean Kuo Min*.

COUNT CIANO  
(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Rome, August 21. As minister for the press and propaganda Count Ciano is going with the Air Forces to Africa as a volunteer. Signor Mussolini has appointed as his representative the fascist deputy Dino Alfieri of Bologna who will bear the rank of state secretary. Alfieri is 39 years old and is the president of society of authors and founder of the nationalist group in Milan and an adherent of the fascist movement from its very beginning. Alfieri practices as a lawyer in Milan.—*Transocean Kuo Min*.



Signor Mussolini, whose rejection of the Paris Proposals has caused grave anxiety.

### ITALIAN CONSUL SHOT

Baron Falconi

(Special to "Hong Kong Daily Press")

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Addis Ababa, Aug. 22. The Italian Consul at Debracos, Baron Falconi, was brought into the Italian hospital here on Wednesday evening, shot in the shoulder, after attempting a second time to make the journey to his post from the capital, after having been forced back a month ago owing to the high level of the Nile.

Falconi set out a second time on Tuesday from the Italian Legation here with a caravan, accompanied by an Italian servant. It is feared here that Italy will exploit the incident as a serious political act.—*Transocean Kuo Min*.

#### "TO HIS POST"

Paris, Aug. 22. Baron Falconi, the Italian Consul at Debracos, about 120 miles to the north-east of Addis Ababa, was shot and wounded while en route to his post, according to a French report from Addis Ababa.—*Reuter*.

#### NOT IN DANGER

Baron Falconi is the son-in-law of Sir Sydney Barton, the British Minister to Addis Ababa. According to a Paris report, the Baron was wounded while on a hunting expedition and his life is not endangered in any way.

From Rome it is learnt that the Government has received a confirmation from the Italian Legation at Addis Ababa that Baron Falconi had been shot and wounded. No details were given and it is not yet known whether it was an accident or not, though there is no question of Italy having severed connections with Addis Ababa in that connection.

A later message states that it is understood in Rome that the shooting was a pure accident.—*Reuter*.

#### CONNECTIONS SEVERED

Berlin, Aug. 22. An unconfirmed report states that Italy has broken off all relations with Abyssinia after the shooting of the Italian Consul.

The Ethiopian Legation and Italian Embassy here are without any official news.—*Reuter*.

#### SELF-INFLICTED

Addis Ababa, Aug. 22. The Italian Legation states that Baron Falconi's wound, was accidentally self-inflicted while examining a jammed gun while hunting.—*Reuter*.

#### WEDDING RECALLED

London, August 22. Baron Falconi was married to Miss Marion Barton in 1933 in Rome when he was secretary of the Italian Foreign Office. The wedding reception was held in the British Legation and the bride was given away by Sir Robert Clive.

A message from Paris states that the head doctor of the Italian Hospital says that Baron Falconi is in no danger. He was wounded on the left side but the bullet had not yet been removed.—*Reuter*.

#### LEAVING SOON

Nanking, Aug. 21. *Reuter* is authoritatively informed that, following to-day's conversations with General Chiang Kai-shek, Mr. Wang Ching-wei definitely agreed to withdraw his resignation.

It is understood that the Generalissimo is leaving very shortly for Szechuen.—*Reuter*.



## THE K.F.C.

## Hold Annual Meeting

The Annual General Meeting of the Kowloon Football Club was held yesterday evening at the Club's premises and was presided over by Mr. T. A. Mitchell. There was a large attendance present and several interesting subjects were brought up at the meeting for discussion.

In his address the president Mr. T. A. Mitchell said in part:—  
Gentlemen:—Although I have had the honour of being your President for the past four seasons, owing to sickness this is the first occasion on which I have been able to take the Chair at your Annual General Meeting and I doubly welcome the opportunity.

I am extremely gratified at the result shown on the year's working; expenses have been cut down to a very minimum, and only the essential repairs have been carried out. The grounds are, as you will see, in excellent condition, whilst the new fencing will undoubtedly gain us a mark of favour with the Football Association in that we will be better enabled to control the crowds that usually try to "gate-crash" at representative games. The Clubhouse, however, still remains a structure that is certainly not a credit to the Club and the day is not far distant when we will be absolutely forced to raise the necessary funds to get ourselves a building worthy of the Kowloon Football Club.

## THE TEAMS

Our football teams which, of course, are primarily what the Club exists for—although some people are apt to forget that at times—did not show up very well last season on paper as, with transfers of players, etc., our teams were considerably weakened and it must be remembered that our Senior team, on many occasions, lost by the narrow margin of one goal. I consider that the youngsters we have, showed up very well against much more experienced teams and a little bit of luck occasionally would have placed us in a much better position. I feel sure these youngsters will develop in time and put the K.F.C. on top but whether we win or lose, the main thing we look for is true sportsmanship and there is no better test than to be a good loser. Play the game, play clean and, win or lose, our supporters must recognize that we have talent and the experience will come.

## APPEAL TO SPECTATORS

Before concluding my remarks regarding fair play, etc., I must take this opportunity to make a special appeal for assistance from the spectators. We all know that a referee generally has his hands full in controlling the game and how distressing it is for some of us when we hear unkind, and often foul remarks directed to a Referee who is obviously doing his best. We pay to see clean and sparkling football and do not want our pleasure interfered with by bad-mannered spectators who want the side they favour to win at any cost.

## HELPERS THANKED

I should like to thank the various Committees for their assistance during the season. I have been very ably supported as President and acting-Chairman and I cannot single out any individual who has worked harder than the other. I thank our Treasurer, Mr. White, for the good work he has done in inaugurating a new simplified system of accounts which has been of great assistance to the Finance Committee. Mr. Bliss has carried on efficiently since Mr. White's departure on holiday.

We were all delighted to welcome our old stand-by, McKelvie, who returned to the field of play to help us half way through the season. Undoubtedly he is still a tower of strength and I sincerely hope that he will make up his mind at an early date to again turn out and give our youngsters the benefit of his experience.

## TENNIS SECTION

The Tennis Section has been well paralyzied and this year your Committee deemed it advisable to enter a team in the "D" Division of the Tennis League, purely for the purpose of trying to hold the interest of our younger footballers and get them to turn up to the Club during the off-season. Here the Committee did not get the support anticipated but we have managed to carry out our fixtures as far as weather permitted and although we did not gain many points, I am glad to say that the true sporting spirit prevailed and the members of our team were good losers.

## U.S. BASEBALL

New York, Aug. 21.

A baseball feat performed by Babe Ruth and which has not been beaten for many years, was surpassed by Lou Gehrig, the New York Yankees batsman, and former team-mate of the King of the Swat, when he scored a home run with all bases full against St. Louis Browns to-day.

This was the seventeenth occasion on which Gehrig has scored a home run with all bases full and he shattered Babe Ruth's lifetime record of sixteen home runs with all bases full.

The Yankees easily won their duel with the Browns, whom they beat by fourteen runs to two. Larry scored a home run for the St. Louis outfit.

However, in the second match of a double header, the Browns trounced the Yankees even though Lou Gehrig again scored a home run.

Several double headers were played off to-day. The Detroit Tigers took both their games from the Boston Red Sox while the Athletics and the Indians shared their two matches.

The Giants, in the National League, beat Cincinnati Reds by three runs to nothing. Schumacher blanked out the Cincinnati club.

In a double header Chicago Cubs and Philadelphia Phillies each won one match.

Results of to-day's matches follow:—

## NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
St. Louis	13	19	0
Boston	3	9	2

(Martin scored a home run for the Cardinals).

	P.	B.	O.
Pittsburgh	0	6	1
Brooklyn	5	10	1

(Barnshaw blanked out the Pirates).

Chicago .....	12	18	0
Philadelphia .....	13	18	3

(Herman and Hartnett score  
home runs for the Clubs).

(Herman and Hartnett scored home runs for the Cubs).

Chicago .....	19	19	1
Philadelphia .....	5	14	6
Cincinnati .....	0	8	1

New York .....	3	9	0
(Schumacher blanked out			t
Reds).			

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## AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R.	H.	E.
Boston	1	4	3
Detroit	4	9	1

(Almadia scored a home run for the Red Sox).

Boston	2	11
Detroit	3	6

Philadelphia	.....	10	13
Cleveland	.....	5	12

(Johnson scored a home run  
the Athletics and Trosky for  
Indians).

(Johnson scored a home run for the Athletics and Trosky for the Indians).

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Cleveland	3	8

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St. Louis .....	2	8
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Washington	15	18
Chicago	7	9
Reuter		

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great pleasure to inform you that we have again been able to make arrangements with our friends, the Police Football Club, to stage their home matches on our ground. Undoubtedly their support assists us financially but their co-operation in all matters relating to soccer is something which we, as a Club, can be justly proud to have.

## ELECTION OF OFFICERS

The following were elected office bearers for the coming year:

President: T. A. Mitchell.

Vice-President: Major C. M. Manners.

Chairman: R. Hall.

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## THE TENNIS INTERPORT

## Ladies Should Win

It was announced yesterday that the following have been selected to represent the Colony in the interport tennis matches against Shanghai which are due to be played in the Northern port on September 23.

Ladies: Miss R. Hancock, Mrs. J. Litton, Mrs. W. H. Wilson and Miss M. Griffith.

It will be seen that the team is a very strong one and are expected to win. The first three will probably play in the singles.

## MEN'S TEAM WEAK

Owing to the fact that some of our leading players are unable to get the necessary leave the men's team is rather weak though they should give a good account of themselves. Those selected are Ho Ka-lau, W. C. Hung, W. P. Tsui, J. P. Tsui, and Lee Wai-long.

Ho and Hung will probably be the doubles first strong with Tsui Wai-pui and Lee Wai-long making the other pair.

## LOCAL GOLF

In the final round of the second 1935 Happy Valley Summer Four-somes played yesterday.

D. S. Edward (3) and T. R. Charsels (3) beat L. Goldman (7) and R. F. Clark (12) by three up and two to play.

## FROM BOXING TO MILK

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 5.

Long ago, when he and the century were young, Mr. Hugh D. McInosh brought the two greatest fighters in the world to Australia and stage the Tommy Burns-Jack Johnson fight at Rushcutters Bay. By that light, for good or ill, he began the era of big-money boxing. To-day he started the latest of many careers as a promoter of milk. It has been a pleasant thing about it is that, so Mr. McInosh's friends say, he is more contented in this venture than in any other. Neither boxing nor theatres nor journalism has given him so deep a satisfaction as the dispensing of milk.

But if the article of his commerce is mild, his audacity and shrewdness are unabated. His company hope to open legions of shops all over the country within two years for the sale of milk drinks, plain or compounded with fruit juices or soda. Manchester is to have some of them soon. And of all places in the world, they opened their first shop to-day in Fleet Street, two doors from one of the most famous bars in that street where bars abound.

## FLEET STREET'S NEW BAR

The choice was as clever as it was bold, for at any rate journalists will have no chance of forgetting about Back-and-White milk bars. The name is clever, for it gives everybody an opening for a joke which has been made hundreds of times to-day. As a matter of fact the name has been borrowed from the most successful of many Australian companies engaged in selling milk drinks, which have become enormously popular lately in Australia, as they have been for a long time in the United States.

The company offer their wares on their face value without any temperance propaganda. They will certainly have to live down a certain amount of jesting, but there are plenty of people in Fleet Street, not necessarily tea-lovers, who may become customers of the milk bar so long as the proprietors do not make a virtue of drinking milk.

Nobody said anything about the demon rum at to-day's opening, which was performed by Captain Sheppard in a short speech, inevitably adorned with the "black-and-white" joke. The crowd who attended the opening were offered their choice of drinks, and many of them showed a certain hesitation in choosing which they might not have shown in another place.

The shop advertises itself by having large windows, plenty of space, and a handsome bar. One wall is adorned by a pastoral scene full of contented cows.

## HOCKEY AT THE "Y"

## Lack Of Support Last Year

In an effort to revive interest in hockey at the European Y.M.C.A. it was decided after considerable deliberation, that the playing days for the premier team would be changed to Saturdays, while Tuesday would be retained for the 2nd XI, and Thursday would be kept open for practice or "scratch" teams.

This was revealed at the annual meeting of the Hockey section of the Y.M.C.A. which was held in West Lounge yesterday evening, under the Chairmanship of Mr. A. R. Brown, who was supported by Mr. Bates (Hon. Secretary) and Mr. G. T. Palmer (non-playing representative).

After the Chairman's opening remarks regarding the purpose of the meeting, which was to find a solution for the lack of interest displayed in the hockey section last year, Mr. Bates said that he would propose, that they make an effort this season to play games on Tuesdays, Saturdays and Sundays.

Mr. E. F. Selk then informed the meeting that he felt sure that he had the support of at least eighteen members who would turn out regularly this coming season. He strongly recommended for consideration that there should not be too many fixtures, as in his opinion last season, there were far too many games for the amount of support available.

Difficulty in raising a side on a Saturday, was expressed by Mr. G. Fowler, who also said that they might not be able to obtain good opposition as most of the service-men would be playing soccer, etc.

When placed to the vote, it was unanimously decided that the first team would turn out regularly on Saturdays, the 2nd XI on Tuesday, and that Thursdays be

## EASY WIN FOR SCOTLAND

## Jubilee Fund Match

Glasgow, Aug. 21.

Approximately 70,000 spectators watched the international football match at Hampden Park to-day between a strong Scotland eleven and one of the best available England sides.

The match was played as a contribution to the Jubilee Fund and all who watched the contest, including the Press, were required to pay for admission.

Scotland won by four goals to two after having had the lead by three goals to nil at half time.

Scotland attacked almost throughout the match. England, whose forwards lacked cohesion, only showed international class during the last ten minutes of the game, whereas Scotland combined well, both in defence and attack.

The home side scored through Delaney, Armstrong and Walker (twice), the last named netting from a penalty. Gurney and Westwood were responsible for England's two goals.

## Reuter.

The Football Association meeting at Sheffield recently chose the following team to represent England:—Hibbs (Birmingham); Male (Arsenal); Hapgood (Arsenal) (capt.); Britton (Everton); Barker (Derby); Bray (Manchester City); Morton (West Ham); Carter (Sunderland); Gurney (Sunderland); Westwood (Bolton); and Boyes (West Bromwich Albion). Reserves to travel: Smith (Leicester City) and Brook (Manchester City).

retained for practice or "scratch" games.

Officials elected were:—

Chairman: Mr. T. J. Price.

Captain: G. Fowler, Vice-Captain: L. W. Massey.

Non-playing representative: Mr. G. T. Palmer.

Hon-Secretary: Mr. R. A. Bates.

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## HONG KONG TRADE RETURNS

### Monthly Report Issued

The Statistical Office of the Imports and Exports Department reports that the combined values of imports and exports of merchandise during the first seven months of 1935 amounted to \$378.7 millions (£239.1 millions), as compared with \$445.6 millions (£279.6 millions) in the corresponding period of 1934, representing a decrease of 6.6 per cent. in terms of Hong Kong currency and an increase of 32.1 per cent. in terms of sterling values.

Imports of merchandise during the first seven months of 1935 totalled \$218.0 millions (£135.2 millions) as compared with \$225.2 millions (£140.7 millions) in the corresponding period of 1934; a decrease of 3.2 per cent. in Hong Kong dollar values and an increase of 37.2 per cent. in sterling values.

Exports of merchandise during the first seven months of 1935 totalled \$160.7 millions (£103.5 millions), as compared with \$180.3 millions (£112.2 millions); a decrease of 10.9 per cent. in Hong Kong dollar values and an increase of 25.0 per cent. in sterling values.

During the month of July 1935 imports of merchandise amounted to a total of \$29.7 millions (£18.6 millions), as compared with \$29.7 millions (£18.6 millions) in July 1934; a dollar decrease of 10.1 per cent. and a sterling increase of 27.3 per cent.; whilst exports totalled \$18.0 millions (£11.2 millions), as compared with \$23.2 millions (£14.5 millions); a dollar decrease of 22.4 per cent. and a sterling increase of 11.8 per cent.

The following table shows comparative figures of imports and exports of merchandise and treasure during the months of July, 1935 and July, 1934:—

IMPORTS			
	July 1935	July 1934	
Merchandise	\$28,745,053	\$29,705,534	
Treasure	1,301,300	7,510,389	
Total	\$29,046,353	\$37,215,923	

EXPORTS

July 1935 July 1934

Merchandise \$18,028,890 \$23,240,797

Treasure 21,642,741 5,326,694

Total \$39,671,631 \$28,567,491

#### MONTHLY FLUCTUATIONS

Since July, 1934, monthly values of imports of merchandise into Hong Kong, fluctuated from a low of \$18.0 millions (£11.2 millions) in June, 1935, to a high of \$39.7 millions (£24.8 millions) in August, 1934; whilst export values fluctuated from a low of \$18.0 millions (£11.2 millions) in July, 1935, to a high of \$23.2 millions (£14.5 millions) in October, 1934. Details are given below, with the sterling equivalents, at monthly average rates of exchange, in brackets:—

1934	Imports	Exports
July	\$29,705,534 (£18,600,000)	\$23,240,797 (£14,500,000)
August	\$29,705,534 (£18,600,000)	\$23,240,797 (£14,500,000)
Sept.	\$29,705,534 (£18,600,000)	\$23,240,797 (£14,500,000)
October	\$29,705,534 (£18,600,000)	\$23,240,797 (£14,500,000)
Nov.	\$29,705,534 (£18,600,000)	\$23,240,797 (£14,500,000)
Dec.	\$29,705,534 (£18,600,000)	\$23,240,797 (£14,500,000)

1935

January \$34,274,109 (£21,342,125)

February \$29,900,059 (£18,600,000)

March \$29,900,059 (£18,600,000)

April \$29,900,059 (£18,600,000)

May \$29,900,059 (£18,600,000)

June \$29,900,059 (£18,600,000)

July \$29,900,059 (£18,600,000)

Mean rate of Exchange for July 1935, H.K.\$=s. 14d.

#### VALUE BY COUNTRIES

The total values of imports and exports of merchandise for the month of July, 1935 are shown below by countries, the figures for July, 1934, being given in brackets:—

Imports	Exports
U.K.	1,662,546
Australia	501,681
Burma	479,348
Canada	25,540
Ceylon	18,881
E. Africa	336,746
India	151,089
British Malaya	14,154
New Zealand	8,447
B.N. Borneo	11,520
S. Africa	33,508
W. Africa	194,699
W. Indies	245,628
B.E. Other	407,980
Belgium	525,007
China, North	5,938
China, Middle	14,213
China, South	174,318
Cuba	130,078
C. America	45,059
	1,779
	15,956
	10,692
	121,348
	178,879
	73,071
	122,044
	128,548
	72,968
	990,428
	2,931,109
	1,181,981
	1,593,127
	5,529,988
	5,938,222
	4,148
	10,735
	92,308
	119,424
	101,085

## KOWLOON WHARF

### Improvements Made

The flood lighting from four towers on the wharf, the erection of a shelter 220 feet long in the middle of the pier and the total elimination of any inconvenience caused by mooring ropes crossing the full width of the wharf, are some of the new features engineered in the modernisation of the No. 1 wharf, of the Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co. Ltd. where work has been proceeding apace for some time and which is expected to be completed by Sept. 1.

In order to carry out the scheme with the best results, the wharf has been lengthened to 750 feet, while the width also has been increased from 51 feet to 81 feet.

By this process the elimination of the necessity of crossing the truck rails by passengers using the gangways, has been made possible and each berth will be served by four independent gangways with access to the centre of the wharf well clear of cargo trucks.

The most welcome improvement will of course be the construction of a shelter in the middle of the wharf, which is 220 feet long, where ample room has been provided there for the landing and sorting of passengers' baggage.

Those arriving or departing by launch have not been overlooked either. Three flights of steps are being provided from the wide fender to the wharf deck at the sea end, the centre flight being extra wide. Portable platforms are available to enable passengers to reach the fender from launches at low tide.

### ORGAN RECITAL

An Organ Recital will be given at St. John's Cathedral on Tuesday, August 27 at 5.30 p.m. by the Organist Mr. Lindsay A. Lafford, F.R.C.O. (CH.M.) L.R.A.M., A.R.C.M. Assisted by Mrs. D. M. Richards (Contralto).

The programme will include items by Norman Cocker, Percy Whitlock, Saint-Saens, Karg-Elert, Borowski, Toccata and Fugue in D minor (by request). Songs by Bohm and Beata Smetton.

A Collection will be taken for the Organ Fund.

Denmark	5,992	62
Egypt	(2,446)	(74)
France	850	11,213
France	(1,940)	(4,519)
France	120,408	6,252
France	(121,503)	(120,786)
Indo-China	1,659,852	1,130,428
Germany	(2,477,235)	(2,013,137)
Holland	1,673,161	97,050
Holland	(1,088,248)	(316,581)
Italy	299,568	58,807
Italy	(309,534)	(67,070)
Japan	98,046	5,969
Japan	(84,270)	(2,508)
K.C. Wan	3,431,577	319,228
Macao	(2,386,692)	(642,497)
Macao	188,508	847,383
Macao	(460,519)	(504,779)
Norway	445,698	892,394
Norway	(677,081)	(1,374,133)
N.E. Indies	88,619	5,165
N.E. Indies	(29,970)	(244)
Philippines	1,689,379	448,787
Philippines	(2,184,501)	(754,135)
Siam	49,602	138,484
Siam	(87,379)	(400,676)
S. America	1,040,118	792,557
S. America	(2,845,728)	(1,164,581)
Sweden	14,112	24,482
Sweden	(10,010)	(193,486)
Switzerland	49,106	11,462
Switzerland	(39,756)	(3,770)
	1,831	

## FUSILIERS AT PLAY

### Close Finishes Witnessed

The Royal Welch Fusiliers held their annual Athletic Meet at the Y.M.C.A. bath yesterday. The swimming was not of a very high standard but the keenness of the competitors more than made up for it.

The relay races were the feature of the afternoon and produced some close finishes. The attendance was not very large and amongst those present were Major E. Grime, Capt. Rhys Pryce and Freeman, Lts. Clough-Taylor, Kelly, Yates, Johnson and Clegg-Hill.

The results were as follows:—

Inter-Cd. Relay (500 Yards)	1—"B" Company
2—"A" Company	200 Yards (Individual)
1—Fus. Jones	2—L/Cpr. Roberts
3—Fus. Walker	Long Plunge
1—C.M.S. Grinham	2—Fus. Eagle
3—Newman	100 Yards (Individual)
1—Fus. Davies	2—Fus. Jones
3—L/Cpr. Roberts	Plain Diving
1—Fus. Harrison	2—Cendon
3—Bollingwood H. Q. Wing	Fancy Diving
1—Fus. Bollingwood	2—Fus. Owens
3—Fus. Williams	All Ranks Relay (50 Yards)
1—"A" Company	2—"B" Company
3—"B" Company	Officers' Race (50 Yards)
1—Captain Allan	2—Lt. Clough-Taylor
3—Capt. Rhys Pryce	Inter Coy. Relay (100 Yards)
1—"A" Company	2—"B" Company
3—"D" Company	W. O. and Sgts. Race (50 Yards)
1—Sgt. Jones	2—Sgt. Grinham
3—Sgt. Pepper	800 Yards Team Race
1—"B" Company	2—"C" Company
3—"D" Company	The Water Polo match between "B" Company and the Rest, was won by the latter by 2 goals to one.

### SAVAGE CLUB PLANS CEREMONY

(Special Air Mail Service) London, Aug. 5. The days of the Savage Club in its present premises are numbered, for notice to quit will be received when the new flats are built in Adelphi-terrace. The club does not wish to leave the neighbourhood and may secure quarters in the new buildings on the present site. Members will miss the fine old Adams house, which is really two houses, in one of which David Garrick lived, with the superb ceilings and mantelpieces. The Savage has been in the Adelphi for a comparatively short time. Until late Victorian days it occupied a far humbler house, a few hundred yards away.

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U.S.A.	28,806	19,135
U.S.A.	(9,596)	(9,088)
U.S.A.	3,144,981	1,204,760
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	(108,358)	(108,826)



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Banks							
		\$1.100	H.K. Banks				\$1.080
		\$1.111	do (London)				80
		\$1.131	Chartered Banks				\$1.131
		\$1.151	Mercantile Bks.				\$1.151
		\$1.171	Do.				\$1.171
		\$1.191	Bank of East Asia				\$1.191
		\$1.211	N. C. & S. Banks				\$1.211
		\$1.231	Am. O. & N. Corp. S.				\$1.231
		\$1.251	Ch. Fin. Corp. Ord. S.				\$1.251
		\$1.271	Do. Pref. S.				\$1.271
Insurance							
		\$1.291	Canton Insurance				\$1.291
		\$1.311	Underwriters				\$1.311
		\$1.331	China Insurance				\$1.331
		\$1.351	China Fires				\$1.351
		\$1.371	H.K. Fires				\$1.371
		\$1.391	International Assoc. S.				\$1.391
Shipping							
		\$1.411	Douglases			\$1.411	
		\$1.431	Steamboats			\$1.431	
		\$1.451	Indos (pref.)				\$1.451
		\$1.471	Do. (def.)				\$1.471
		\$1.491	Shells				\$1.491
		\$1.511	Waterboats				\$1.511
Mining							
		\$1.531	Antamoks			\$1.531	
		\$1.551	Batoks				\$1.551
		\$1.571	Baguio Gold			\$1.571	
		\$1.591	Batoks Consolidated			\$1.591	
		\$1.611	Do. Exploration				\$1.611
		\$1.631	Do. Goldfield				\$1.631
		\$1.651	Big Wedge			\$1.651	
		\$1.671	Gold River				\$1.671
		\$1.691	Gold Creek				\$1.691
		\$1.711	United Paracales			\$1.711	
		\$1.731	Salacot Mining			\$1.731	
		\$1.751	Ipo Mining				\$1.751
		\$1.771	Itoyans				\$1.771
		\$1.791	Kailans				\$1.791
		\$1.811	Langkats (single) S.				\$1.811
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		\$1.951	Do. (new)				\$1.951
		\$1.971	Providents (old)			\$1.971	
		\$1.991	Do. (new)				\$1.991
		\$2.011	H.K. & W. Docks				\$2.011
		\$2.031	S. China Motors A.				\$2.031
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		\$2.091	New Engineering S.				\$2.091
		\$2.111	Hongkows S.				\$2.111
Lands, Hotels, and Buildings							
		\$2.131	H.K. Hotels				\$2.131
		\$2.151	H.K. Lands			\$2.151	
		\$2.171	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.171
		\$2.191	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.191
		\$2.211	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.211
		\$2.231	H.K. Hotels				\$2.231
		\$2.251	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.251
		\$2.271	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.271
		\$2.291	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.291
		\$2.311	H.K. Hotels				\$2.311
		\$2.331	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.331
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		\$2.371	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.371
		\$2.391	H.K. Hotels				\$2.391
		\$2.411	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.411
		\$2.431	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.431
		\$2.451	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.451
		\$2.471	H.K. Hotels				\$2.471
		\$2.491	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.491
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		\$2.551	H.K. Hotels				\$2.551
		\$2.571	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.571
		\$2.591	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.591
		\$2.611	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.611
		\$2.631	H.K. Hotels				\$2.631
		\$2.651	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.651
		\$2.671	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.671
		\$2.691	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.691
		\$2.711	H.K. Hotels				\$2.711
		\$2.731	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.731
		\$2.751	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.751
		\$2.771	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.771
		\$2.791	H.K. Hotels				\$2.791
		\$2.811	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.811
		\$2.831	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.831
		\$2.851	Metropolitan Lands				\$2.851
		\$2.871	H.K. Hotels				\$2.871
		\$2.891	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.891
		\$2.911	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.911
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		\$2.951	H.K. Hotels				\$2.951
		\$2.971	Do. 4% Debentures				\$2.971
		\$2.991	Shanghai Lands S.				\$2.991
		\$3.011	Metropolitan Lands				\$3.011
		\$3.031	H.K. Hotels				\$3.031
		\$3.051	Do. 4% Debentures				\$3.051
		\$3.071	Shanghai Lands S.				\$3.071
		\$3.091	Metropolitan Lands				\$3.091
		\$3.111	H.K. Hotels				\$3.111
		\$3.131	Do. 4% Debentures				\$3.131
		\$3.151	Shanghai Lands S.				\$3.151
		\$3.171	Metropolitan Lands				\$3.171
		\$3.191	H.K. Hotels				\$3.191
		\$3.211	Do. 4% Debentures				\$3.211
		\$3.231	Shanghai Lands S.				\$3.231
		\$3.251	Metropolitan Lands				\$3.251
		\$3.271	H.K. Hotels				\$3.271
		\$3.291	Do. 4% Debentures				\$3.291
		\$3.311	Shanghai Lands S.				\$3.311
		\$3.331	Metropolitan Lands				\$3.331
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## THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESRS. ROZA BROS

The price for Ready Silver was unchanged yesterday but the forward rate rose 1/8, the quotations being 29 and 28 11/16 respectively. Silver advices reported America as having bought India operated both ways. The market closed steady.

In America the rate was unchanged at 65 1/2 for spot. The London/New York cross-rate was unchanged at 498 1/2 and the New York/London rate remained the same at 498 1/2.

### Market

Opened uncertain but subsequently eased off owing to some demand. Towards 1 p.m. the market appeared steadier at the lower level.

### Sterling

Opened with sellers at 1/11 5/16, buyers bidding 1/11 7/16 but business was soon reported at 1/11 5/16 for September delivery followed by transactions at 1/11 5/16 for October, 1/11 1/2 for September, 1/11 3/16 for near and forward and 1/11 1/2 for September. The market then reacted and sellers came out again at 1/11 3/16 with business done at 1/11 1/2 for October delivery and 1/11 3/16 was also arranged for cash. The market closed at 1 p.m. with sellers at 1/11 3/16 for August/December, buyers at 1/11 1/2 for August/December.

### U.S. Dollars

Opened with sellers at 48 1/2, buyers at 48 11/16 but the buying rate rapidly receded and business was arranged at 48 1/2 for cash followed by transactions at 48 1/2 for September and 48 3/16 for December. The market closed at lunch time with sellers at 48 3/16 for August and probably September, buyers at 48 1/2 for near and September and 48 3/16 for December.

### Shanghai Dollars

Sellers were quoted at 130 1/2 for near delivery.

### Shanghai Market

Opened steady with sellers at 1/5 1/16 but later weakened to 1/5 1/16 for near delivery. U.S. Dollars opened at 37 1/2 and easier at 36 1/2 for spot.

## CANTON SILK MARKET

The Kwangtung Raw Silk Testing Bureau, Department of Reconstruction, Canton, China reports the following:

### Canton Quotations

August 20, 1935.  
Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$410N.  
Small Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$380N.  
Crack N.S. 14/16 H.K. \$320N.  
Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. \$290P.  
Waste N.S. Open H.K. \$70N.

### Yokohama Quotations

August 21, 1935.  
Spot ..... Opening  
Bourse 6 months ..... Yen 785  
Bourse 6 months ..... Yen 713

### New York Quotations

August 20, 1935.  
September ..... Bid Ask  
December ..... 1.70 1.70  
March ..... 1.62 1.62  
March ..... 1.63 1.63

New York Quotations are obtained through Courtesy of American Oriental Finance Corporation.

## SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

### Latest Singapore Prices

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore yesterday for Raw Rubber:

Spot ..... 19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.  
September ..... 19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.  
Oct./Dec. ..... 20 cts. up 1 ct.  
Jan./Mar. ..... 20 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.  
Market—Steady.

### H. B. JOSEPH & CO.

Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following Straits currency quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber:

Spot ..... 19 1/2 up 1 ..... 19 1/2  
Oct./Dec. ..... 20 up 1 ..... 20 1/2  
Jan./Mar. ..... 20 1/2 up 1 ..... 21  
April/June ..... 21 1/2 up 1 ..... 21 1/2  
Market—Firm.

## LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

	Aug. 20	Aug. 21
Paris	75 5/64	75 7/64
Geneva	1522	1523
Berlin	1234	1234 1/2
Athens	517 S.	517 S.
Milan	60 9/16	60 9/16
Shanghai	1/5 1/2	1/5 1/2
New York	498 5/16	498 1/2
Amsterdam	735	735
Vienna		119 1/2
Prague		36 15/64
Bucharest		36 1/2
Madrid		1/11 5/16
Lisbon		29 50
Hong Kong		39 1/2 S.O.
Brussels	29 48	
Montevideo		498 1/2
Belgrade		498 1/2
Montreal	499 1/2	
Yokohama		29
Helsingfors		28 9/16
Rio		3 1/2 105 1/2
Buenos Aires		29
Silver (Spot)		28 11/16
Silver (forward)		3 1/2 105 1/2
War Loan		

## Closing Quotations

August 22, 1935.		On NEW YORK:—
On LONDON:—		Bank Bills, on demand 4 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer.....	11 1/2	Credits, 60 days' sight, 5 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand.....		ON BATAVIA:—
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight.....	11 1/2	On demand..... 70
Credits, four months' sight.....	2 1/4	ON PARIS:—
ON SHANGHAI:—		Bank Bills, on demand 7 1/2
On Demand.....	30	Credits, 4 months' sight 7 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—		ON SAIGON:—
On Demand.....	3	On demand..... 7 1/2
ON JAPAN:—		ON MANILA:—
On Demand.....	163 1/2	On demand..... 9 1/2
ON INDIA:—		ON BANGKOK:—
Telegraphic Transfer.....	128 1/2	On demand..... 9 1/2
Bank, on demand.....		SOVEREIGNS, Bank Buying Rate..... 2 1/4
		BAR SILVER, per oz..... 50

## H. K. STOCK EXCHANGE

### YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

Sales of Banks are reported at \$1100 and there are possible further buyers at this rate. Unions are also in demand with no shares in evidence. There is a little more enquiry for shares and in some cases the rates have slightly improved.

### BUYERS

Hongkong Banks, \$1080.  
H. K. Docks, \$8.  
Hotels, \$3.60.  
Hongkong Land, \$23.  
Star Ferries, \$78.  
China Lights, \$8.  
Electric, \$59.  
Telephones (old), \$20.60.  
Singapore Tractions (Pref), 22/6.  
Cements, \$3.  
H. K. Ropes, \$2.  
Dairy Farms, \$15 1/2.  
Watsons, \$3.05.  
Sincere, \$5.30.  
Govt. 4% Loan, 8 1/2% Prem.  
Govt. 3 1/2% Loan, 2% Prem.

### SELLERS

Sandkan Lights, \$3.  
Hongkong Banks, \$1100.  
Hotels, \$3.60.  
China Lights, \$8 1/2.  
Electric, \$59/50.  
Cements, \$3.  
Dairy Farms, \$15 1/2.  
Watsons, \$3.10.

## H.K. SHAREBROKERS' ASSOCIATION

### BUYERS

Douglases, \$35.  
Steamboats, \$34.  
Antamoks, 77 cts.  
Bagulo Gold, 24 cts.  
Beng Consolidate, \$12.  
Beng Explorations, 11 cts.  
Big Wedge, 10 1/2 cts.  
Salacots, 12 1/2 cts.  
United Paracels, 32 cts.  
Yens Goldfields, \$24.  
Hotels, \$3.60.  
Lands, \$28 KD.  
Providents (old), 55 cts.  
H.K. Docks, \$8.  
Star Ferries, \$78.  
Trams, \$12 1/2 KD.  
Lights, \$3.10.  
Canton Ices, \$11.  
Ropes, \$2.  
Cements, \$3.  
Dairy Farms, \$15 1/2.  
Watsons, \$3.10.  
Govt. Loan 3 1/2%, 2%  
Vibro Piling, \$3.

### SELLERS

Providents (old), 65 cts.  
Antamoks, 77 cts.  
Sincere, \$5.40.

## HOTEL GUESTS

### Repulse Bay Hotel

The following guests are staying at Repulse Bay Hotel:—  
Mrs. A. C. Burnett, Mrs. M. M. Bird, Mr. L. R. Brown, Dr. H. C. Cayall, Miss R. Chalk, Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Costello, Mr. L. C. Dennis, Mr. A. Dietrich, Mrs. F. Dannenberg, Dr. and Mrs. J. J. Eckhardt and family, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Elliott and child, Mr. M. T. Depree, Mr. and Mrs. M. K. Farrow, Mr. Ian F. Ferguson, Captain G. Faced, Dr. and Mrs. M. Green, Mr. T. J. J. Fenwick, Mr. T. N. Frost, Lieutenant Col. and Mrs. H. M. Fordham, Mr. E. H. Gwilt, Major and Mrs. E. S. C. Grune, Mr. Grepfenker, Mr. W. J. Giel, Mr. J. G. de Groot, Mr. T. R. Hutton, Mr. E. Hager, Mr. G. E. Harvey, Mrs. H. Moodie-Heddie, Mr. G. J. Hennephof, Mr. and Mrs. A. Hicks, Miss F. M. Hughes, Mrs. R. Longworth, Mr. C. E. Lowe, Mr. S. W. Lau, Mr. J. Lowe, Dr. and Mrs. H. L. Larsen and child, Mr. D. C. H. Mellon, Mr. A. W. Martin, Captain D. B. Mitchell, Mr. A. Malcolm, Miss G. J. Parfitt, Mr. J. W. van Riet, Lieutenant Comdr. A. B. Russell, Mr. G. Randall, Mr. Hans Renner, Mr. J. V. Robertson, Captain F. A. Swaffer, Mr. A. V. Strijevsky, Paymaster Comdr. and Mrs. H. L. Shaw and child, Mrs. Elizabeth R. Scott, Mr. Sun Tit Sang, Mr. I. M. Thomas, Dr. S. H. Tong, Mr. A. H. Veltman, Mrs. L. Vraga and child, Mr. R. Smith-Wright, Mr. G. F. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. S. C. Wong, Mrs. J. T. Cook, Captain P. S. M. Wilkinson.

## DIESEL ENGINE BUSES

London, Aug. 21.  
Tests of 350 diesel-engined London buses during the past few years, have satisfied the London passenger transport experts of their superior advantages to petrol driven vehicles on the grounds of economy and safety, and the Board has decided on replacing the existing fleet of buses and coaches, to order only the diesel type. There are some 5,500 buses and another 500 coaches in service, and the changeover is not expected to be complete for ten years.

British Wireless.

## BILL FORWARDED

Washington, Aug. 21.  
The Senate passed the Neutrality Resolution without a vote being taken, and the Bill has been forwarded to the House of Representatives. The Resolution establishes a Munitions Control Board with which all exporters and importers and manufacturers of arms must be registered.

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Pra. Cleveland... Sept. 25, 6 a.m.  
Pra. Coolidge... Oct. 6, 6 a.m.  
Pra. Taft... Oct. 23, 6 a.m.

### To VICTORIA, SEATTLE 17 Days

via Shanghai, Kobe, Yokohama

Fortnightly sailing

Pra. McKinley... Aug. 30, 11 p.m.  
Pra. Grant... Sept. 13, 11 p.m.  
Pra. Jefferson... Sept. 27, 11 p.m.  
Pra. Jackson... Oct. 11, 11 p.m.  
Pra. McKinley... Oct. 26, 11 p.m.

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Inquire for round-trip tickets to Europe in connection with Lloyd Triestino.

Via Manila, Singapore, Penang, Colombo, Bombay, Suez Canal, Alexandria, Naples, Genoa, Marseilles.

Pra. Hayes... Aug. 31, 8 a.m.  
Pra. Johnson... Sept. 14, 8 a.m.  
Pra. Monroe... Sept. 28, 8 a.m.  
Pra. Van Buren... Oct. 12, 8 a.m.  
Pra. Garfield... Sept. 26, 8 a.m.

### MANILA

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Next Sailings

Pra. McKinley... Aug. 24, 6 p.m.  
Pra. Hoover... Aug. 29, 9 p.m.  
Pra. Hayes... Aug. 31, 8 a.m.  
Pra. Grant... Sept. 7, 6 p.m.  
Pra. Johnson... Sept. 14, 8 a.m.

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## CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

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ARRIVED HONG KONG ON 21st AUGUST, 1935.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, MALTA, PORTSAID, ADEN, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at and placed at risk in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained as the Goods are landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six Hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to Rent.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees, and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before 10th Sept. 1935, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns.

MAOKINNON, MAOKENZIE & Co., Agents.  
Hong Kong, 21st August, 1935. [3764]

## CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

### NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES

OCEAN STEAM SHIP CO., LTD.  
AND  
CHINA MUTUAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO., LTD.

CONSIGNEES of Co's Vessel "TEUGER"

FROM UNITED KINGDOM AND CONTINENTAL PORTS VIA SINGAPORE

are hereby notified that their Cargo will be discharged into Holt's Wharf, Kowloon, where it will be at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Holt's Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 30th Aug.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10.45 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th Aug. will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 10th Sept. 1935, or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected. BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents.  
20th August, 1935. [3765]

## CONSIGNEES' NOTICE.

THE BEN LINE STEAMERS, LIMITED.

FROM LEITH, MIDDLESBRO', ANTWERP, LONDON AND STRAITS.

THE Steamship "BENAYON."

CONSIGNEES of Cargo are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed at their risk into the Godowns and/or extra hazardous Godowns of the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Co., Ltd., where and/or from the wharves Delivery may be obtained.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godowns, and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 29th Aug. 1935, will be subject to Rent.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underigned on or before the 6th Sept. 1935, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godowns, where they will be examined on the 29th Aug. 1935, at 10 a.m. by Messrs. GODDARD & DOUGLAS.  
No Fire Insurance has been effected.  
Rule of Lading will be countersigned.  
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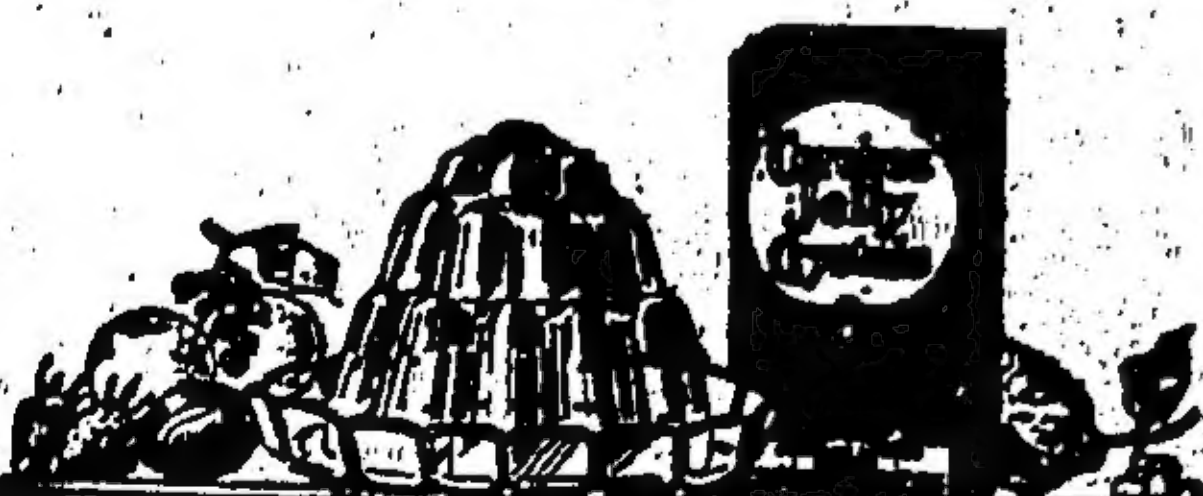
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To	STEAMSHIP	Date
TSINGTAU via SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"TAKSANG" "DAVIKIM" "CHAKSANG" "NORVIKEN"	Sun. 25th Aug. at 4 p.m. Wed. 5th Aug. at 4 p.m. Sun. 1st Sept. at 4 p.m. Wed. 4th Sept. at 4 p.m.
AMOI via KOBE OSAKA	"HOSANG" "KUMSANG"	Sun. 1st Sept. at 8 a.m. Sun. 15th Sept. at 8 a.m.
SINGAPORE, PENANG & CALCUTTA	"SUISANG" "KUTSANG"	Satur. 24th Aug. at 1 p.m. Fri. 5th Sept. at 5 p.m.
ANDAKA	"HINSANG" "MAUSANG"	Thurs. 5th Sept. at Noon Thurs. 19th Sept. at Noon
TIENTSIN via SWATOW, PENANG, CANTON & HANKOW	"FOOSHING"	Sun. 1st Sept. at Noon

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Kingman, E. & S. August 20  
Hobart.  
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co. Aug

Taiping, B & S., September 17.

Yahlik, Mary, D.S.K., August 11  
 Beja, P. & O., August 11  
 Katori, Mary, N.Y.K., August 11

FOOSHING, CHENPOO & DALNY "FOOSHING" Sun. 1st Sept., at Noon

<b>Obituary</b>	<b>Obituary</b>	<b>Obituary</b>
Reber, F. O., August 31	Sherman, Wm. H., August 30	Kashima, Mrs. N.Y.K., September 1



## CANADIAN PACIFIC ANNOUNCES

Sailings for 1936

	Hong Kong	Shanghai	Nagasaki	Kobe	Yokohama	Honolulu	Van-couver
	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
E/Japan	Jan. 14	Jan. 16		Jan. 19	Jan. 21	Jan. 27	Feb. 1
E/Asia	Jan. 29	Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 6		Feb. 15
E/Canada	Feb. 11	Feb. 13		Feb. 16	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	Mar. 1
E/Russia	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 5		Mar. 14
E/Japan	Mar. 6	Mar. 8		Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 24
E/Asia	Mar. 20	Mar. 22	Mar. 24	Mar. 26	Mar. 28		April 6
E/Canada	April 3	April 5		April 8	April 11	April 17	April 22
E/Russia	April 17	April 19	April 21	April 23	April 25		May 4
E/Japan	May 1	May 3		May 6	May 8	May 14	May 19
E/Asia	May 15	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23		June 1
E/Canada	May 19	May 21		May 24	May 26	June 2	June 7
E/Russia	June 1	June 3	June 5	June 7	June 9		June 17
E/Japan	June 15	June 17	June 19	June 21	June 23		June 29
E/Asia	June 26	June 28	June 30	July 2	July 4	July 9	July 14
E/Canada	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18		July 27
E/Russia	July 24	July 26		July 29	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 12

## Next Sailing to VANCOUVER

via SHANGHAI, JAPAN &amp; HONOLULU

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## Sailings to MANILA

EMPRESS OF JAPAN ... Aug. 30th.

EMPRESS OF ASIA ... Sept. 14th.

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ASAMA MARU ... Wednesday, 4th Sept.

CHIOHIBO MARU (Starts from Kobe) ... Tuesday, 8th Oct.

TATSUTA MARU ... Wednesday, 16th Oct.

SEATTLE &amp; VANCOUVER.

HIKAWA MARU (Starts from Kobe) ... Monday, 2nd Sept.

HIYE MARU (Starts from Kobe) ... Monday, 16th Sept.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM

KATORI MARU ... Saturday, 31st Sept.

KASHIMA MARU ... Saturday, 11th Sept.

YASUKUNI MARU ... Friday, 17th Sept.

SYDNEY &amp; MELBOURNE via Manila and Ports.

KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 24th Aug.

ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 28th Sept.

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang and Colombo.

TOKIWA MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.

CALCUTTA MARU ... Friday, 6th Sept.

ANYO MARU ... Wednesday, 11th Sept.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu, Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

HEIYO MARU ... Monday, 9th Sept.

NEW YORK via Panama.

KONGO MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.

NABUTO MARU ... Tuesday, 10th Sept.

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus.

Genoa and Valencia.

LYONS MARU ... Saturday, 14th Sept.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.

HAKODATE MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.

GENOA MARU ... Sunday, 8th Sept.

MALACCA MARU ... Sunday, 15th Sept.

SHANGHAI, KOBE &amp; YOKOHAMA.

TANGO MARU ... Tuesday, 27th Aug.

HAKONE MARU ... Friday, 30th Aug.

SUVA MARU ... Sunday, 16th Sept.

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D'ARTAGNAN ... 24th Aug.

ATHOS II ... 7th Sept.

ANDRE LEBON ... 31st Sept.

MARCEL JOFFRE ... 14th Oct.

SPHINX ... 2nd Nov.

CHERONORAU ... 2nd Nov.

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## Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

## YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 5,360 TONS;  
THROUGH CARGO 15,800 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:-

British Cargo for Through Ports

Rampura, Singapore 754 312

Emp. of Russia, Manila 230 127

Szechuen, Swatow 100 250

Hop Sang, Canton 1,300

Hal Tan, Swatow 80

King Yuan, Canton 448

Japanese, Fukuin Maru, Takao 25

Hague Maru, Singapore 581 6,857

Canton Maru, Swatow 1,221

Minowo Maru, Sea Fishing 164

Santal Maru, Tobata

Santal Maru, Kobe 4,348

Chinese, Hal Hing, Canton 270 800

Hal Yuan, Swatow 313 448

Mao Lee, Amoy 610 969

Stanley, Swabue 46

Total 5,364 15,869

## ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:-

Szechuen (Br.), Swatow 85

Hal Tan (Br.), Swatow 241

King Yuan (Br.), Canton 72

Canton Maru (Jap.), Swatow 43

Hal Yuan (Ch.), Swatow 185

Stanley (Ch.), Swabue 226

Total 852

## ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:-

British ... 6 7

Norwegian ... 0 2

Danish ... 0 1

French ... 0 1

Japanese ... 6 2

Chinese ... 4 3

Total 16 16

## SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of ships that were expected to be in wireless communication with the Government Radio Office, Hong Kong yesterday:-  
Empress of Japan, General Lee, President Lincoln, President Har-

## ARRIVALS

22ND AUGUST.

Ardent, Norwegian steamer, 1,101 tons, Captain A. Hytten, from Bangkok, buoy No. 117—Thoresen &amp; Co.

Borneo Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,261 tons, Captain Y. Iwasaki, from Sakito, Kowloon Wharf—O. S. K.

Hal Ching, British steamer, 1,322 tons, Captain W. B. Paley, from Canton, Stonecutters—Douglas &amp; Co.

Hunan, British steamer, 1,621 tons, Captain J. Beck, from Canton, buoy No. B21—Butterfield and Swire.

King Yuan, British steamer, 1,546 tons, Captain J. Taylor, from Canton, buoy No. B20—Butterfield and Swire.

Aldegonda, Dutch steamer, 1,031 tons, Captain F. H. Wildschut, from Canton, Tai Kok Tsui—A. P. C.

Hop Sang, British steamer, 1,359 tons, Captain C. Nock, from Canton, buoy No. B8—J. M. &amp; Co.

Marilyn, Norwegian steamer, 656 tons, Captain Fredrikson, from Bangkok, buoy No. B5—K. Larsen &amp; Co.

Mao Lee, Chinese steamer, 1,221 tons, Captain S. Sano, from Chefoo via Amoy, buoy No. C1—Yee Tai Hong.

Santal Maru, Japanese steamer, 4,355 tons, Capt. T. Accasawa, from Kobe, buoy No. A1—O. S. K.

21ST AUGUST.

Sumatra, Italian steamer, 3,551 tons, Captain L. Poll, from Saigon, buoy No. A12—Lloyd Triestino.

## SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon:—Empress of Russia and Rampura.

Holt's—Teucer.

Douglas LaPraque—Hal Tan, Salkong—Wing Ho.

Chi On—Hydrangea.

DOCKS

Kowloon:—Fingal, Haydrot, Yat Shing, Silver Sandal and Tak Sang.

Talkoo:—H.M.S. Olympus, King Lee, Glauco, Ninghal, Soochow and Hang Cheong.

## BUOYS

No. A1—Santos Maru.

No. A2—Nankai Maru.

No. A3—Canton.

No. A4—Tyndareus.

No. A5—Tijbadak.

No. A11—Meigen Maru.

No. A12—Sumatra.

No. B3—Kwangtung.

No. B4—Michael Jensen.

No. B5—Hop Sang.

No. B9—Canton Maru.

No. B10—Prosper.

No. B11—Australien.

No. B14—Anshun.

No. B15—Kalgan.

No. B16—Lyeempon.

No. B17—Fukuken Maru.

No. B20—King Yuan.

No. C1—Mao Lee.

No. C5—Hakuyo Maru.

## VESSELS DUE

22ND AUGUST.

Aclilles, B. &amp; S., September 8.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 21.

Annam, B. &amp; S., September 13.

Assam Maru, N.Y.K., August 21.

Athos II, Messageries, September 7.

Behar, P. &amp; O., August 30.

Bessa, Thoresen's, September 11.

Burduwan, P. &amp; O., September 3.

Chastine Maerck, Jørgensen's, Sept. 23.

Chenonceaux, Messageries, August 23.

Chinese Prince, Furness, August 23.

City of Bristol, Bank Line, Sept. 13.

City of Elwood, States &amp; Co., Sept. 13.

City of Hereford, Bank Line, Sept. 9.

City of Singapore, Bank Line, Sept. 7.

Conte Rosso, Lloyd Triestino, Sept. 1.

D'Artagnan, Messageries, August 24.

Empress of Asia, C.P.S., September 14.

Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., September 27.

Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 30.

Ermland, Jørgensen's, August 31.

Eunassos, B. &amp; S., September 23.

Fridens, Melchers, September 22.

General Pershing, States Co., Aug. 30.

Gen. Sherman, States &amp; Co., Sept. 20.

Golden Mountain, States &amp; Co., Sept. 2.

Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.

Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., August 30.

Hellas, Thoresen's, August 23.

Helios, Thoresen's, August 30.

Himalaya Maru, O.S.K., August 31.

Hiram, Thoresen's, September 6.

Hosang, Jardine's, August 30.

Ixion, B. &amp; S., September 6.

Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 30.

Kitsano Maru, N.Y.K., August 31.

Kongo Maru, O.S.K., August 28.

Laomedon, B. &amp; S., August 23.

Manila Maru, O.S.K., September 11.

Mantua, P. &amp; O., September 11.

Mennos, B. &amp; S., August 30.

Nagara, Gilman's, September 3.

Nankin, E. &amp; A. S.S. Co., Sept. 4.

Nectar, Melchers, September 14.

Nora Maerck, Jørgensen's, August 23.

Oder, Melchers, September 5.

Panama, E.A. Co., September 14.

Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 25.

Potsdam, Melchers, September 3.

Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, September 6.

Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, August 30.

Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, August 26.

Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, September 27.

Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 23.

Ranchi, P. &amp; O., August 23.

Rajpootana, P. &amp; O., September 4.

Rheinland, Jørgensen's, September 12.

Roseville, Bank Line, September 20.

Ruhr, Jørgensen's, September 2.

Saale, Melchers, August 28.

Sarpedon, B. &amp; S., August 28.

Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.

Sumatra, Lloyd Triestino, August 22.

Tai Ping, Doddwell's, September 17.

Tajping, B. &amp; S., September 10.

Takada, B.I. (Aper), September 3.

Tanda, E. &amp; A. S.S. Co., August 28.

Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.

Tantalus, B. &amp; S., September 25.

Tatama, B.I. (Aper), August 28.

Teiresias, B. &amp; S., August 28.

Tilava, B.I. (Aper), September 17.

Tijkenburg, J.C.J. Line, August 31.

Tjondani, J.C.J. Line, August 31.

Tokio Maru, O.S.K., August 27.

Trionon, Thoresen's, August 25.

Trave, Melchers, September 13.

Tweedbank, Bank Line, September 24.

## CLEARANCES

22ND AUGUST.

Rampura, for Shanghai

Nankai Maru, for Keelung

Sirdhana, for Amoy

Szechuen, for Canton

Fukuken Maru, for Swatow

Tyndareus, for Milke

Tchekam, for Holhow

Cremor, for Singapore

Tijbadak, for Swatow

City of Khios, for Makassar

Santos Maru, for Singapore

Canton, for Shanghai

Prosper, for Saigon

Mao Lee, for Canton

Kalgan, for Holhow

Roseville, for Manila

Hal Ching, for Holhow

Hop Sang, for Swatow

Aldegonda, for Swatow

Teucer, for Shanghai



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